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By Planning Commission

Village Design Criteria Ok'd; Citizens Call It "Toothless"

By Stan Hall

Long-awaited design criteria for future development in the Village sailed through the Planning Commission—even as two members of the citizen's group that helped draft it waited to complain that the document was a toothless shell of what they wanted.

Roger Williams and Peter Coakley, unaware that the Commission was operating under closed rules which barred public comment, sat stunned as the document was approved on Nov. 29 and sent to the Board of Supervisors for final approval.

Two years in preparation, the document is supposed to provide strong direction for the Upper Carmel Valley Advisory Board during its consideration of proposed development in the Village. It covers criteria for design, colors, rooflines, building heights, pathways, external lighting, fences, parking and landscaping.

Commissioner Marit Evans, who made the motion to accept the document, later apologized to Williams and Coakley, saying she had not realized that they objected to the changes that were made by the Planning Staff and Commission.

She later tried to get the Commission to reconsider its vote, but members declined, saying that the citizens could always take their complaints up with the Supervisors when they consider the issue, probably on Dec. 12.

The citizens' group did not have a chance to comment publicly on either the approved draft or the one prior to it which substantially changed the document format because the Commission was operating under closed rules. In addition, Williams and Coakley did not receive a copy of the draft approved by the Commission until after it had acted.

Williams said the citizens had "effectively been removed from the process" of developing a final document. He also told Mrs. Evans that the final document "doesn't have the teeth in it" that the citizens' draft did.

Expressing frustration with the way the Planning Staff and Commussion operate, Coakley asked "why did we even bother serving for two years?...There's no resemblance between the documents. The verbiage has definitely been softened."

Williams and Coakley served on the citizens' advisory committee along with Debbie Saxton, Bob Heald and Randy Randazzo to write more detailed criteria to control development in the Village as a supplement to the Carmel Valley Master Plan. They worked with Russ Lambert of the Planning Department.

Mrs. Evans told Williams and Coakley that some changes were made in the document because what the citizens proposed was inconsistent with county zoning regulations and ordinances. Changes in format were made so that the Village document will be similar to planning documents created for other areas, she said.

Williams and Coakley subsequently proposed that each of the five members of the citizens panel take a section of the approved document, compare it with the initial draft and analyze just how substantative the changes were. After that analysis, they suggested members meet and decide on their future strategy.

In a memo to other members of the citizens' panel, the pair made it clear, however, that they wanted the final

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Santa Arrives By Air Dec. 9

For the 31st year in a row, Santa Claus will fly into Carmel Valley Village airport at 11 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 9, and lead a parade through the village to the Carmel Valley Youth Center.

The event, which kicks the holiday season into high gear, will feature a marching band, the Village fire engine, floats and children on decorated bicycles. St. Nick will travel from the airport through the village to the Community Youth Center where he will happily pose with children for photographs, starting at 11:40 a.m.

In conjunction with the festivities, the Carmel Valley Art Association will have a show from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Lunch will be available to purchase.

Water Board Moves to Limit New Hookups

By Stan Hall

Dick Heuer was reinstated as Peninsula water board chairman Monday night as two new members began to make good on their campaign promises to limit new water connections while the drought and rationing continue.

On a 4-2 vote, the board suspended the issuance of all new water connection permits temporarily until it can write a new ordinance to put some permanent restrictions on new demands for water from Cal-Am.

Scheduling a public hearing on the proposed new ordinance for Jan. 8, board members said the temporary suspension of all new permit applications should last only six to eight weeks.

Spokesmen for the construction industry in the overflow audience of some 250 at the Carmel Women's Club said the suspension would unfairly and unnecessarily punish the construction industry. Six to eight weeks doesn't sound like a long time, some of them said, but it is if you're out of work.

Heuer, who resumed the chairmanship that Nick Lombardo held for the past two years, said, however, that 1,100 new water hookups had been approved in 1989, double the number during the year before and that a backlog of permits remained to be processed by the Monterey Peninsula Water District staff.

"I find it very difficult to believe there isn't a sufficient backlog of permits to keep everybody busy for the next six to eight weeks," he said.

The motion to suspend the issuance of all permits was made by Bob Russell, who was sworn in at the meeting along with another new director, Dale Hekhuis. Russell said the three-year drought and increased demands on Cal-Am water put the district in a crisis situation.

Seconded by Hekhuis, the motion carried with Heuer and Supervisor Karin

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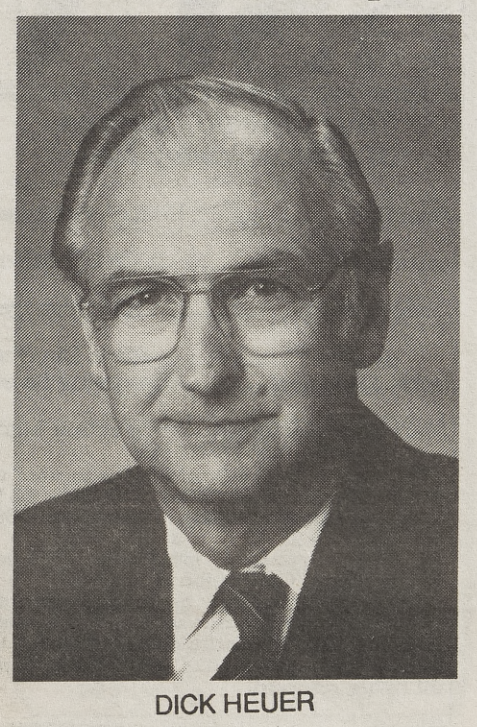

DICK HEUER

LETTERS

Water Coverage Questioned

I am curious. Why did you devote 34 paragraphs in your paper to Lombardo's views and opinions on the water issue and only 3 paragraphs to the two people who got elected? Surely what Hekhuis and Russell have to say is more relevant at this time.

A. Carroll
Carmel Valley

A newspaper should cover all sides of an issue—but not necessarily in the same issue. If you will look back in the Sun, *you'll see that Hekhuis and Russell have received significant coverage, and their views are well known. We thought it was appropriate to give Lombardo a chance to state his views on leaving the water board after serving four years, and he had not been covered recently by the* Sun.*—Ed.*

Remember Voters' Will

I was appalled by the flagrant political dishonesty being advocated by Mr. Nick Lombardo in his opinion article in the Nov. 22 issue of the Sun. He urges Mr. Russell and Mr. Hekhuis to abandon their position on a moratorium on new water connections now that that position has gotten them elected. In so doing, he blatantly suggests they ignore the will of the people who elected them.

Regardless of your views on the moratorium issue, we would all do well to remember this type of behavior should Mr. Lombardo ever run for any office again. And we should expect Mssrs. Russell and Hekhuis to disregard his advice and proceed with the actions they promised.

Doug Davey
Carmel Valley

Measure B Vote Assailed

The recent election and the closeness of ballot Measure B prompt me to write on the sinister turn that has taken place in the American voting scene. Time was when a significant percentage of the elegible voting population went to the polls and voted. We had a government of the people, by the people and for the people.

Not so today, and Measure B broadly illustrates my point. Measure B, a county-wide tax that will be collected for 20 years and affect millions of dollars in retail sales, was passed by the smallest plurality I have ever seen. What is frightening is the ease with which the County Board of Supervisors slipped this over on us, and what a feeble response was raised in opposition to it.

Just calculate the additional tax on a $150,000 home. This, of course, would only be the additional levy of Measure B on the materials bought in Monterey County. Let's say that the materials came to $35,000. Well, that's not too bad, only $175. And even the automobiles and trucks and clothes and paint and toys and all of the other little things probably won't be too much. But you collect this for 20 years, and the long-range spenders like manufacturing or retail outlets that figure their profits in gross sales are going to look around for a county with a shorter term or lower tax rate to locate in.

Now there is a good possibility that the military is going to cut back on defense spending. Ft. Ord and the Postgraduate school are not going to close, but the levels of activity could be affected, and we just might take a cautious look at not having all our economic eggs in one basket. As things now stand, the only two flourishing industries we have on the Peninsula are the military and building. The number of business start ups and closures presently going on in the shopping centers and in downtown Monterey are worth noting.

The bottom line turns out to be that we are having long-range plans made for us by a minority of people who have their own political axes to grind and could care less about what the effect on the general population will be. They are swayed by pressure groups and projects which will give them the best chance at re-election. The cure is to vote, every one of us, in every election. Use absentee ballots. Then we will have a government of the people and by the people, not taxes levied for the next 20 years by a mere dozen voters.

Don Soule
Carmel Valley

Church Service Praised

On Sunday, Oct. 29, a friend and I attended Carmel Valley Community Chapel to hear Bach's "Coffee Cantata" *which was performed in the Fellowship Hall after the church service. During the* service, we found Steve Tosh's composition of "gospel" music performed by Dave Simpson, Gay Brown and Kerry Alexander to be absolutely great—enough to lift you out of your seat.

The sermon by their new minister, Rev. Sandra Edwards, on Martin Luther and Truth (it was Reformation Sunday) was one of the best sermons on the subject I have ever heard.

The "Coffee Cantata" with the same three singers, Steve Tosh at the piano and Williams on the flute was on a high concert level. Coffee and popovers with jam were served while they sang.

You are missing a great experience among friendly people and fine music if you are not attending that church.

Violet C. Beahan
Carmel

"History" Questioned

The documented historical material presented and accepted by established, accredited postal historians of California (Herald Weekend Magazine, Oct. 29) clearly illustrates that no 1889 Postal Permit was ever issued to a site in Carmel Valley. The building described as "The Milk House" at White Oak Plaza never housed a postal service and the White Oak Plaza property was not the site of a post office, according to credible historical records.

In addition to the facts of a centennial observed, other information circulated about the valley Village area has also been incorrectly stated with many unaccountable omissions as well as errors.

In this connection, and with respect to the statue of the Madonna at White Oak Plaza, I would like to submit the following again:

I was directly connected with this property for over 50 years. I personally acted as custodian of the statue for a number of years. It was my mother, Marion Wilson, who conducted the arrangements of the statue through the Carmel Valley Art Gallery, with and for the artist. I have never heard any of the stories in direct connection with the showing or acquisition of the statue that seem to be drifting around in various forms of print, including stories that have appeared in the Sun. I have found these stories and related commercialistic reference to "The Art Gallery Building" to show little respect—to the artist who created the statue, to the dignity of the gallery that also represented the greats of the Monterey Peninsula painters and to the anonymous purchaser of the statue who made this unusual gift available for all to enjoy. The anonymity was a personal choice—not intended to be probed or poked at.

I would like to make a suggestion to the current Carmel Valley Village residents and entrepreneurs:

Rather than treat the Madonna as a "curiosity," it would be far more in keeping with its background, its true meaning and its purpose, if it were regarded with a deference of respect as the gentle, inspiring beacon that it has been to those passing by for as number of years now.

For the Christmas season, how about some group of carolers wending through the Village for a gathering for a grand finale at the statue? Wouldn't such appreciation of the Village area, and in the intended spirit of the statue, provide more honorable, constructive, valid and cheerful interest to encourage for the youngsters (and oldsters) of the Village area? I have suggested thid before. It never happened. Maybe it will this time.

Barbara Mark
Carmel

Wish I Could Help

How I loved your article about Doris Day in the Oct. 25 issue. Valley resident Dawn Anderson sent me the paper so I could enjoy the piece. Dawn is one of Doris' volunteers who walks the dogs being boarded at Dr. Bishop's, and Doris and I have been friends for 2 years. How I wish I were up there to help with all the orphans.

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Costa Mesa, CA

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Firemen Practice In Controlled House Fire

Some 50 firemen from the Valley, Mid Valley, Cachagua and Highlands departments practiced their techniques and tried out new methods as a house was deliberately burned on Saturday on La Rancheria Drive.

The exercise went ahead despite the protests of a nearby neighbor, Gerald Dalton, an attorney who had complained the exercise was unsafe.

"It was not very pleasant," Dalton told the Sun the day after the house was set afire and destroyed in a controlled burn. "I wouldn't wish it on anybody else. But everything considered, it worked out all right."

He pointed out that it had rained since the originally scheduled burn on Nov. 18, and that the winds on Dec.2 were calm.

Chief Bob Heald of the Carmel Valley Fire Department said he respected Dalton's rights, but said there is simply no substitute for allowing new firemen to experience a blaze under controlled, safer conditions.

"I think it's a crime to send a new volunteer into a burning structure unless he or she has had some experience in an exercise like this. It gives you an idea what to expect."

During the exercise, teams from the various local departments took turns practicing inside the house as the different rooms in it were set afire. Crews with water hoses stood by outside to keep the fire from getting out of control, and safety crews were stationed up the hill upwind from the house.

One of the new methods of firefighting firemen tried out was the use of a foam, similar chemically to soap, which breaks down the droplets of water and makes them more effective against the flames.

As the teams emerged from the house and took off their protective gear, most of them were sweat-stained, with their hair plastered against their heads.

PLAYING WATER ON THE ROOF, firemen kept a deliberate house blaze under control as four area departments practiced their skills inside the structure.

"Unless you've done this," Heald said, "you can't have any idea how physically demanding it is." He said firemen can stay on the lines only for about 15 minutes, by which time the oxygen supply in the bottles on their backs is depleted.

After Dalton complained, Heald delayed the practice burn, saying it would be cancelled altogether if it did not rain. But an early Pacific storm brought good moisture to the area over the Thanksgiving weekend.

Charles Hawley of Monterey, who recently bought the property, gave permission for the firemen to use it for practice. He plans to build a new structure where the burned house was.

A visit to the burned house the day after the exercise revealed little damage to the old oaks around it except the scorching of leaves on a few branches. The area around the house was clean,. There was little evidence of all the people who had been there the day before, including the auxiliary who served the firemen sandwiches for lunch.

Positive Thoughts

Herman & Miriam Fickewirth

THE 'TOP TEN SAYINGS' OF ALL TIME

1. Do unto others as you would that they should unto you. (Bible-paraphrase of Matthew and Luke.)
2. Know thyself. (Attributed originally by Plato to Socrates.)
3. Anything that is worth doing at all is worth doing well. (Earl of Chesterfield.)
4. If at first you don't succeed, try, try, again. (William È. Hickson.)
5. The great Essentials of Happiness are something to do, something to love, and something to hope for. (Unknown.)
6. The only way to have a friend is to be one. (Ralph Waldo Emerson.)
7. As a man thinketh in his heart, so is he. (Bible-Proverbs.)
8. Knowledge acted upon equals power. (W. Clement Stone.)
9. Actions Speak louder than words. (An ancient proverb, source unknown.)
10. An ounce of Prevention is worth a pound of cure. (an old English Proverb.)

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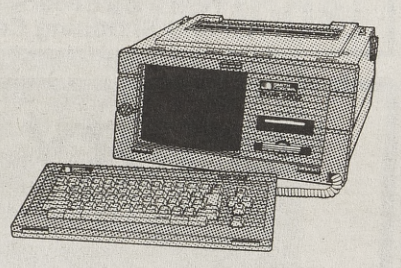
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SHERIFF'S LOG

HIDDEN HILLS. Woman reports the theft of a $700 massage table from her garage. 11/16.
HIGHWAY 1. Carmel High School reports the theft of a VCR from a classroom. 11/16.
RIO ROAD. Big Sur man reports the tires on his car were slashed while it was parked near Longs Drugs. 11/17.
VILLAGE. A man reported juveniles were throwing rocks at his apartment at Acacia Lodge. 11/18.
HIGHLANDS. A Minneapolis woman reported losing two diamond earrings valued at $600 while staying at Highlands Inn. 11/20
SOUTH COAST. Big Sur man reported his van was hit by two blasts from .410 gauge shotgun while traveling on Nacimento-Fergusson Road. 11/21.
MISSION FIELDS. A resident reported a transient was building fires in the Carmel River bed. Investigators contacted a man from Arizona and asked him to stop. 11/20.
RIO ROAD. A woman complained to deputies that she had not been paid for a car she sold 11/6 to a Palo Colorado Canyon resident. 11/22.
TIERRA GRANDE. A woman reported a prowler at her house at 3:30 a.m. and asked deputies to keep a close watch on it. 11/22.

Fire Destroys Apartment

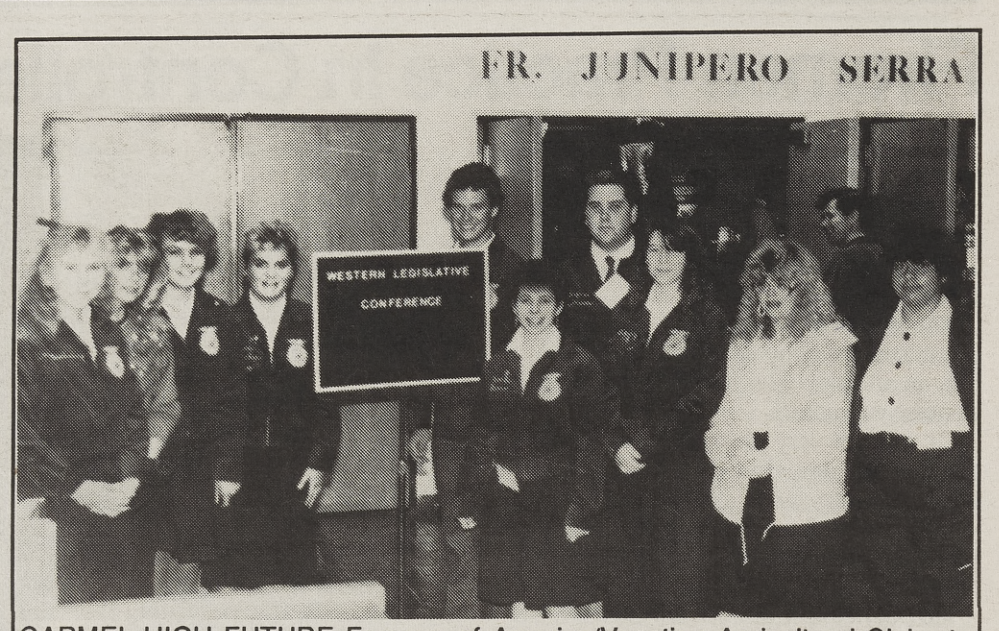
MID VALLEY. Fire destroyed Apt. # 4 and damaged another unit at 9500 Center Street. Damage estimated at $400,000. Fire units from Mid Valley, Valley, Carmel and California Division of Forestry answered the call. 11/22.
VILLAGE. The librarian called deputies when a 10-year-old boy was left alone at the library after closing hours. Contacted, his father came and got him. 11/22.
RIO ROAD. A Monterey woman reported leaving her purse in a shopping cart at *Mid Valley Safeway. 11/24.*
DEL MESA CARMEL. A Novato man, found unconscious in his car, was arrested and taken to county jail when deputies found he had been taking heroin. 11/25.
VILLAGE. Woman reported the rear window of her car was smashed while it was parked outside the Tin Lizzie. 11/27.
HIGHLANDS. An anonymous telephone call led deputies and firemen to a house on Coast Ridge Road that was destroyed by fire. 11/28.
CARMEL RANCHO. A Cachagua man reported his car was broken into while it was parked at Brinton's near the Christmas tree lot. 11/28.

Burglary Suspect Arrested

CROSSROADS. John Joseph Walsh, 35, a Pacific Grove plasterer, was arrested on warrants for burglaries at Masterpiece Antiques and the Treadmill Shoe Store on 11/5. Deputies reported most of the stolen goods were recovered at a Santa Cruz home belonging to a friend of the arrested man. Also recovered were items taken in a Monterey office burglary. Deputies were aided in their search for the man because he left his old shoes behind at the Treadmill after taking a new pair. Walsh was arrested 11/23.

Odds and Ends

CACHAGUA. An assistant County Public Works foreman reported the theft of four auto batteries from a road grader parked near Tassajara Road. 11/30.
SOUTH COAST. A Garrapata Beach area resident reported his home was burglarized and a VCR, binoculars, a cordless phone and beer taken. 11/30.
VILLAGE. A Monterey woman reported her car was vandalized while parked on Del Fino Place. 12/1.
RIO ROAD. A Seaside man was arrested for shoplifting at the Crossroads Safeway. 12/2.
MID VALLEY. The Owners of Hacienda Hay & Feed reported a burglary of their *trailer office behind the store. 12/2.*
CACHAGUA. Cachagua man reported the theft of a stereo and tapes from his car while it was parked at Los Padres dam. 12/2.
HIGHLANDS. A Tucson man reported the theft of his wallet while he was staying at the Tickle Pink Motel. 12/3.



CARMEL HIGH FUTURE Farmers of America/Vocation Agricultural Club attended the Western State Legislative Conference on Nov. 13 in Monterey. More than 800 guests from 13 states attended. From left: Treena Hoffman, Liz Meyerbury, January Vanderwolt, Veronica Schumacher, Graham Evans, Aimee Fero, Wayne Andrews, Maura Wetmore, Jolina Owens and Ana Miranda.

FBI Seeks PG Man In Robbery of Bank

FBI agents are searching for a short, heavy-set Pacific Grove man for the robbery of San Francisco Federal Savings at Carmel Rancho on Dec. 1 with the same threatening note that apparently has been used in at least four other bank holdups.

FBI agent Rick Lack of the bureau's Monterey office declined to reveal the man's name or how much money was taken. But Clarissa Sopoaga, manager of the branch, said the thief escaped with a very small amount of money.

She also credited her assistant, Peter Iverson, with providing law enforcement officials with the best lead to the robber's identity—his car.

She said Iverson followed the man out of the bank and into the parking lot where he started to get into an older Saab, but fled on foot when he saw Iverson.

Lack, who said the wanted man was 35-40, also declined to say what was in the note he handed tellers. But Ms. Sopoaga said he threatened that he had a bomb.

Lack did say that agents believe the same note has been used in three other robberies on the Peninsula and one in San Jose. The robbery occured about 11:30 a.m., and Ms. Sopoaga said no customers were in the bank at the time.

She also told the *Sun* that she understood from authorities that the wanted man was considering giving himself up.

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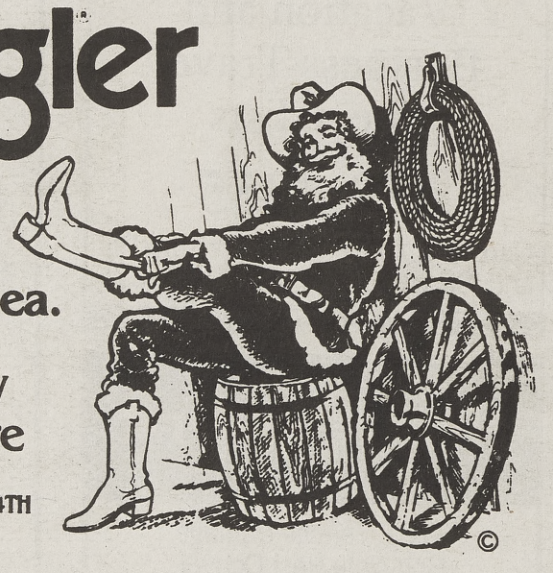
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Safety is major issue

County Starts Process For Widening CV Road

By Dick Heuer

The County kicked off the process to lead to an extension of the four-lane portion of Carmel Valley Road, but residents expressed reservations that the existing road may be safer.

The County is counting on the one-half percent increase in sales tax approved by voters last month to provide $25 million to widen Carmel Valley Road to four lanes from Via Petra to Robinson Canyon Road.

The County announced this schedule for the road-widening at a Nov. 27 meeting to begin the required environmental studies:

- Jan. 1990 to June 1991: Complete Environmental Impact Report.
- June 1991 to June 1993: Complete engineering design and acquire right of way.
- June 1993 to June 1996: Widen to four lanes from Via Petra to Valley Greens Drive during the first year of construction. From Valley Greens Drive to Schulte Road during second year, and from Schulte Road to Robinson Canyon Road during third year.

Supervisor Karin Strasser Kauffman told the audience of about 30 residents that the basic decision to widen Carmel Valley Road was made when the Carmel Valley Master Plan was drafted. "This answer was reached after years of public hearings so that Carmel Valley Road will be safe under future buildout conditions," she explained.

"There is fear in the minds of some people that widening Carmel Valley Road will lead to unbridled growth," Ms. Strasser Kauffman noted. She then explained that "no matter how wide the road is, the Master Plan limits the subdivision of new lots to 37 lots per year. Widening the road will not lead to unbridled growth; it will lead to a safer highway."

There was overwhelming concern among the audience, however, that a four-lane expressway may be less safe than the existing road. Purpose of the meeting was to help the County identify public concerns and determine what issues need to be analyzed in the Environmental Impact Report. Safety clearly emerged as the No. 1 issue.

Safety and other concerns led most of the audience to question the advisability of the project at all. David Fellows elicited little support when he commented, "We aren't here to object to the fact that we're going to have a four-lane road."

Rod Mills said he analyzed the pattern of accidents while studying the need for radar on the Valley road. He determined there are more accidents on the existing four-lane section of Carmel Valley Road than on the two-lane section. He asked, "What is the real reason for widening the road? Is it to make it safer or to accommodate growth?

Dan Clark took a similar tack. "This plan isn't for safety. It's just to keep the County from getting caught up in problems when approving new development under the Master Plan, because Judge Silver's order says traffic can't be allowed to pass certain levels," he said.

There was a consensus that the large number of driveways and side roads entering onto a four-lane expressway would create serious safety hazards. Cars would have to pull across more lanes of faster moving traffic than at present.

Jan Cihak pointed out that if you want to drive to a home a couple driveways down the road, you will have to make a right turn onto the expressway, make a U-turn to head back in the opposite direction, then make another U-turn before you can turn into the desired driveway. No matter which direction one starts out, any round trip from home will require one U-turn.

Robert Greenwood noted that "from Meadows Road to the Farm Center, there is a driveway almost every 100 feet. With a four-lane divided highway, we'll be much worse off." Mills added that the four-laning would force people coming out of driveways to make "hundreds and perhaps thousands of U-turns every day, which is one of the most dangerous traffic movements, especially with a horse trailer."

Fred Duffie asked, "Why isn't the money being spent on a road that really needs it, such as the Monterey-Salinas Highway. The more space you give people to drive fast, the faster they will drive." Ernest Weilenmann complained that with the two-lane road people are already driving so fast that it's almost impossible to cross the road on foot at Los Arboles. With a four-lane highway it would be even worse.

In response to the safety concerns, Henry Hein, the Public Works engineer who will be designing the highway, commented that it may be necessary to provide deceleration and acceleration lanes to facilitate U-turn movements at the intersections.

On other issues, Scott Hennessy suggested a bike path from the mouth of the Valley to the Village. Fran Farina pointed out that there are more walkers than joggers or bikers. Ron Lundquist, Deputy Director of Public Works, noted that the Master Plan requires that utilities be placed underground when the road is widened. Supervisor Strasser Kauffman asked that trees to replace those that have to be removed be planted early in the project so they have more time to grow.

The supervisor also asked that Public Works advise property owners along Carmel Valley Road as soon as possible how the project might affect their property. A map showing tentative plan lines is available at Public Works.

Written comments on the road-widening plan will be accepted by Public Works any time prior to the end of January. The address is Monterey County Dept. of Public Works, 312 East Alisal St., Salinas 93901.

5-Year Public Works Plan Includes Valley Projects

A county-wide five-year Public Works plan includes two major projects for Carmel Valley—the environmental and preliminary design work for widening a portion of Carmel Valley Road and construction of a new bridge over the river on Esquiline.

The plan is based on assumptions that the 1/2 cent county sales tax which narrowly won approval Nov. 7 will survive a recount and that voters will approve a gas tax increase in a state-wide vote next year.

Scheduled to be approved by the Board of Supervisors Dec. 5, the plan calls for spending $100,000 in the 1990-1991 fiscal year to prepare for the extension of the four-lane portion of Carmel Valley Road easterly to Robinson Canyon Road.

The report said the start of construction on that project is beyond the time covered by the plan, from Jan. 1, 1990 to July 1, 1994.

The proposed replacement of the so-called Rosie's Bridge is also scheduled for fiscal '90-'91, the report said, and is projected to cost $2,020,000. But the report also noted that this project, originally scheduled for the '88-'89 fiscal year, had encountered delays because of "problems in acquiring right-of-way and with environmental review."

Of the total cost of the new bridge, federal funds would pay $1.717 million and the county would pay $303,000, the plan said.

The plan, which deals only with projects costing more than $50,000, also contained a section which listed road projects that could be considered if funds became available. Included on that list were:

- Reconstruction of Arroyo Seco Road from Carmel Valley Road to Bridge No. 326.

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Hookups Limited

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Strasser Kauffman joining the new members in voting for it. Directors Jim Hughes and Morris Fisher voted no, and Paul Davis, an architect, refrained from participating.

The four are widely expected to make up a new power bloc on the board, reversing many of the policies set when Lombardo and Billy DeBerry were at the core of a coalition that was considered more pro-growth than the new group.

Heuer said that hookup applications that were complete, in good order and awaiting action at the board by Monday night will be processed. But no new applications will be considered until the new ordinance is approved.

"There should have been action on this last year," Mrs. Strasser Kauffman said. "To enact a water rationing policy without limiting hookups was irresponsible."

Among the opponents of the suspension, Mayor Lance McClair and City Attorney Elaine Cass of Seaside questioned the legality of the board's action—a position that Hughes seemed to support. "This amounts to a defacto moratorium, no matter how you cut it," he said.

In reassuming the chairmanship, Heuer said: "Construction of a new dam or reservoir remains the primary goal of the district. That will not change."

Noting the election of Hekhuis and Russell, cochairmen of a petition drive earlier this year which gathered 10,000 signatures in favor of limits on new hookups, Heuer said, however:

"Tighter control over water demand is the area where you will see the most changes between this board and the previous board...In taking action to limit water demand, fairness is a key issue. We will seek a balanced policy that considers both the interests of our residents and the interests of businesses that form the backbone of our economy."

In other action during a marathon meeting that lasted well past midnight, the board:

o Approved a list of interim supply projects to help bridge the gap until a dam or reservoir comes on line.

o Approved a citizens' review of the implementation of the rationing policies and a special look at how golf courses and other heavy irrigation users should be treated.

o Voted to require meters on 21 large wells in Carmel Valley. Heuer said the wells account for about 80 percent of all production. The vote was 6-1 to require owners of those wells to install meters costing $400-$500 each at their own expense so the water district will have more accurate production information.

Wells situated on parcels larger than 2.5 acres which produce more than 20 acre feet of water annually will be the only ones required to be metered.

New Carmel Postmaster Sought as Holt Retires

Carmel Postmaster Jack Holt has retired after 34 years with the Post Office, and the candidates are lining up to replace him.

Holt, 59, retired Dec. 1, ending a career that began in 1955 when most of the mail still moved by train.

In stepping down, Holt said: "It's time to try other things."

A spokeswoman at the Main Carmel Post Office at the mouth of the Valley said it probably would take two to three months for the postal service to select his replacement.

She added that a number of candidates already had applied for the post, including postmasters from the Salinas Valley and several top-level supervisors.

While a successor to Holt is being selected, Virgil Hereford of the Carmel Post Office will be in charge, but by taking that position, he will not be eligible for consideration for the job.

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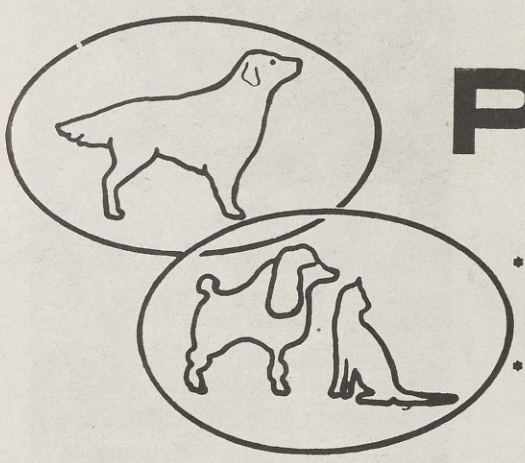

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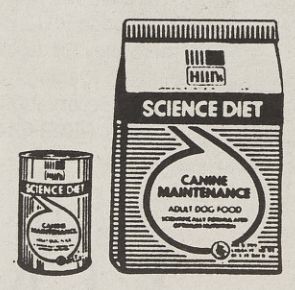

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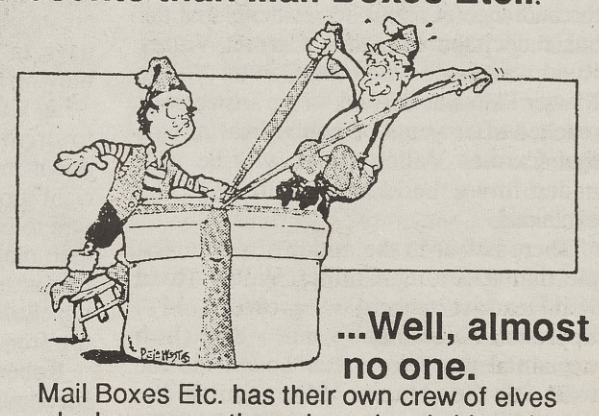

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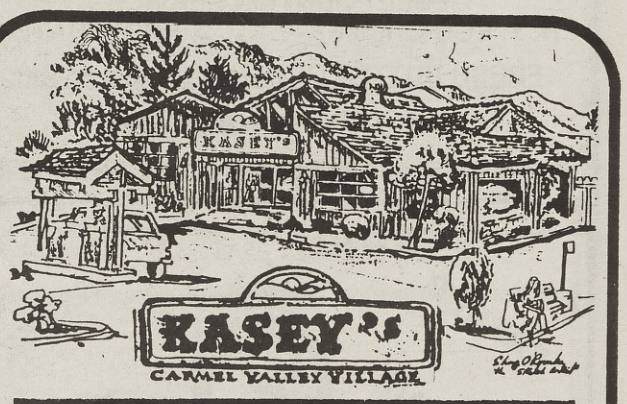

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Desalination Gains Momentum From County and Water District

Prospects that desalted water might someday augment traditional supplies on the Peninsula have brightened in recent days because:

- The Monterey Peninsula Water Management District included the desalting of 1-3 million gallons of water a day on its list of interim projects that should be investigated and pursued if investigation warrants it.
- County Supervisors adopted the first ordinance in the state to regulate the construction and operation of desalinization facilities, including the disposal of salts and other minerals extracted by the treatment.

At a news briefing on Dec. 1, water board members Dick Heuer and Paul Davis said that brackish water which is commonly found fairly shallow underground close to the coast would most likely be the source for any large-scale treatment plant, not ocean water.

This brackish water contains only about 2,000 parts per million of minerals, including salts, compared to about 32,000 parts per million for sea water. The brackish water would be easier and less costly to bring up to potable quality, water district officials said, and the problem of disposing of the extracted minerals would be less difficult.

At a Supervisors' hearing before the board approved the ordinance, County Environmental Health Director Walter Wong said the long-delayed Monterra project off Highway 68 may rely on desalinization for the water it needs to proceed.

So may the Sterling Center Hotel complex, a 136-unit project that has been approved by Sand City, but is stalled by appeals and lawsuits.

The desalinization ordinance developed by Wong and other county officials would bar individual homeowners from operating smaller scale desalting units. But Supervisors said this provision will be reviewed early next year.

Potable water produced by the facilities being contemplated by the water management district would cost from $4,000 to $1,250 an acre foot depending on the final design and size, officials said.

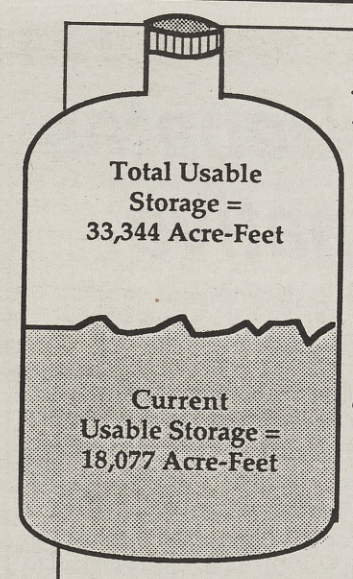
That compares to about $800 an acre foot for water from traditional sources. Current desalting technology depends on water being pumped through a series of membranes which remove minerals and other salts. Energy use is high, contributing to high operating costs relative to most conventional water sources.

Heuer and Davis both emphasized that desalinization and the other immediate and interim water projects on the district's list were not a substitute for a dam.

But they said a dam, the most cost-effective source of additional water for the area, clearly would take longer to complete "than we thought or hoped."

Immediate projects being considered by the district to help cope with a three-year drought that has resulted in rationing include:

- Completion of one or possibly two new wells in Seaside to tap aquifers not now being utilized by the district. Additional studies are required, but officials believe a minimum of 400-600 acre feet a year could be available.
- Retrofitting of existing plumbing systems with water-saving devices. Developers of new projects would be required to fund the retrofitting. It would be administered by the district, focusing first on multiple family dwellings and similar facilities.



MONTEREY PENINSULA WATER STORAGE REPORT

As of November 29, 1989

	Total Usable Storage (Acre-Feet)	Current Usable Storage (Acre-Feet)	% of Usable Storage
Reservoirs:			
Los Padres	1,967	1,069	54
San Clemente	131	82	63
Ground Water Basins:			
Upper Carmel Valley	6,531	6,391	98
Lower Carmel Valley	20,015	8,553	43
Seaside Coastal	4,700	1,982	42
TOTAL	33,344	18,077	54

NOTES:

- *A minimum of 31,400 acre-feet of usable storage would be required to consider ending mandatory rationing in November.*
- *Usable Storage as of December 1, 1988 was 16,950 Acre-Feet.*

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- Use of reclaimed wastewater to irrigate the Pacific Grove golf course and cemetery. Construction for the project could be completed in 1991. The water district said the City of Pacific Grove supports the project as long as the saved potable water is dedicated to drought reserve.
- Creation of a district grant program available to government agencies within the district to use subpotable water for irrigation.

Water district officials said the immediate projects it was considering generally could be completed in six to 18 months. Intermediate range projects, which will take approval of the voters in the district and completion of an environmental impact report, would not start to come on line for three years or so, officials said.

In addition to the desalting project, intermediate projects proposed by the district staff included use of reclaimed water to irrigate golf courses and some farms in Carmel Valley. That project has the potential to save 800-1,000 acre feet of potable water per year, officials said.

But the board, while not abandoning the proposal altogether, put it on the back burner Monday night. Supervisor Karin Strasser Kauffman quoted Environmental Health Director Walter Wong as saying the project involved insurmountable health concerns since it would use reclaimed sewage directly above the Carmel Valley ground water basin.

"It is the most iffy and lowest priority" of the interim proposals developed by the staff, water district manager Bruce Buhl agreed.

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Hatton Canyon

Freeway Forum Debates Split Route Alternative

By Dick Heuer

A face-off between Caltrans and two advocates of the "split route" alternative to the proposed Hatton Canyon Freeway probably didn't change many minds last week.

The Carmel city-sponsored program at the Sunset Center on Nov. 30 drew an audience of nearly 200, most of whom seemed firmly entrenched in their opposition to Caltrans' plan.

Roger Larson, a Carmel architect and planner, and Wally Holm, a Monterey architect and civil engineer, presented the proposed split route alternative. Caltrans officials Gregg Albright and Dave Murray presented the case against the split route and for Caltrans' plan.

Holm was a leader of the local architects who successfully challenged the state highway engineers over 20 years ago when the Monterey freeway was being planned. The Monterey freeway we see today is the product of their efforts and differs greatly from the original state plan.

In introducing the split route concept, Larson noted that Caltrans is "legally required to adopt the least environmentally damaging practicable alternative. Caltrans has admitted selecting the most environmentally damaging alternative and justifies this by claiming that all other alternatives are not practicable."

The split route is one of several practicable alternatives, Larson asserted. However, Caltrans will not accept any analysis of alternatives unless it is prepared by a certified traffic engineer. "If we can't get the engineering analysis done," Larson explained, "the only option will be legal action that blocks any solution at all to our traffic problems." Caltrans has announced that the Final Environmental Impact Statement scheduled for release next month analyzes the split route, but in a section entitled alternatives considered and rejected.

(The Hatton Canyon Coalition, which opposes Caltrans' plan but has not yet endorsed any specific alternative, announced it will hire a traffic engineer to conduct an independent engineering analysis of alternatives. It has started a campaign to raise funds from major donors to pay for these studies.)

The split route calls for only two northbound lanes through the canyon. Southbound traffic would be routed on two lanes down existing Highway 1 along with one northbound lane for local traffic and a fourth lane for left turns. The intersection at Carmel Valley Rd. would be designed to facilitate traffic from Monterey turning east onto Carmel Valley Road without a traffic light. There would be a full intersection at Rio Road for access to the shopping centers, with an underpass so that northbound traffic is not blocked by the Rio Road traffic light. There would be no berm across the mouth of the Valley. This either eliminates or reduces what are seen as major weaknesses in the Caltrans plan.

Larson explained that the Caltrans plan calls for removing 2,300,000 cubic yards of earth from the northern portion of the Canyon. This is the equivalent of 200,000 truckloads that will be transported to fill in the bottom of the canyon and form the berm across the mouth of the Valley.

The net result, according to a Caltrans report quoted by Larson, would be that "congestion and delay would still be a problem" even after construction of the freeway.

After explaining how the split route functions, Holm said "the split route does handle traffic movements better than the Caltrans plan."

Holm is especially critical of Caltrans' plan for the "single-point diamond" interchange at Carmel Valley Road. He has visited Phoenix which has six of these new type interchanges in operation and where they work very well. Holm has shown the Caltrans plan to the highway engineers in Phoenix. On the basis of discussion with the Arizona engineers that are experienced in building this new type of interchange, Holm concludes that the single-point diamond interchange will not work here. There would not be enough room between this interchange and the intersection at Carmel Rancho Boulevard, so traffic would back up into the interchange, Holm believes. No single-point diamond interchange has been built yet in California, so Caltrans has no experience with it.

Caltrans' Albright countered that the split route plan has a number of problems. The onramp for northbound traffic entering from Carpenter Street enters the freeway on the left side. Drivers wishing to exit onto Highway 68 would have to cross two lanes of traffic in an unacceptably short distance.

The Caltrans plan saves 60 percent of the native vegetation in the canyon, according to Albright. "The split route would save only an additional 7 percent," Albright said.

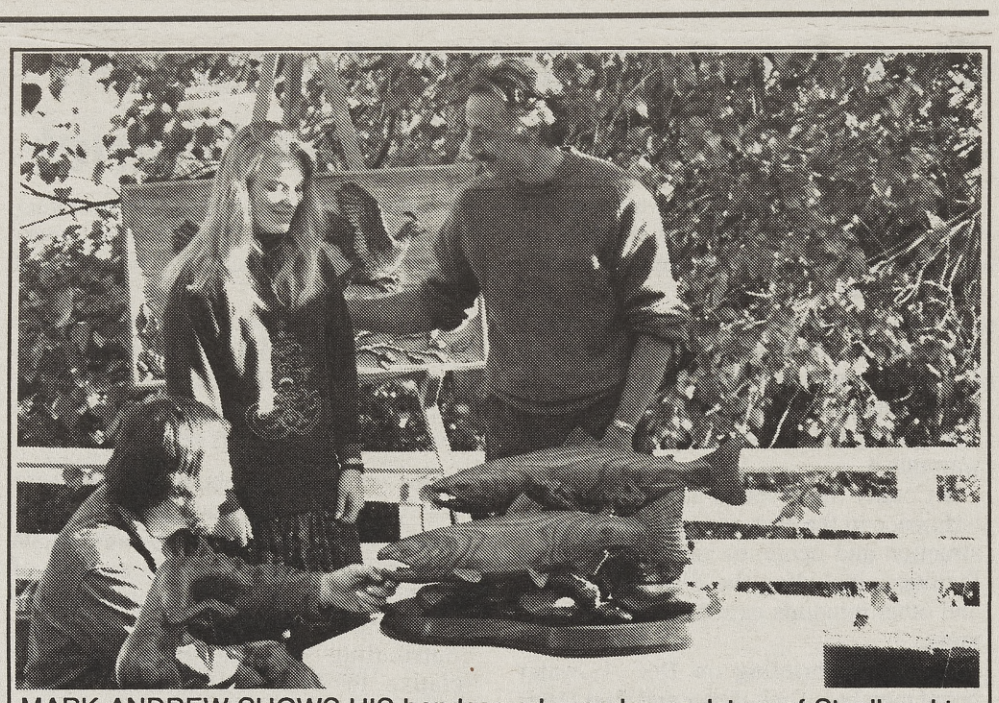
Murray asserted that the split route would improve northbound traffic, but "southbound traffic would have little improvement." He explained that traffic projections show unacceptable congestion, and that six or seven lanes would be needed to carry the traffic on Highway 1. He said expanding to this many lanes would require removal of all the roadside trees and shrubs and mean adding retaining walls, which would change the character of the road.

The Carmel Valley Road interchange proposed by Larson could be made to work, according to Albright, but it would affect four properties in that area.

In summary, Albright said that "widening the existing alignment of Highway 1 could buy some time, but in a relatively short period we would be back to where we are now. Even with the split route, we would have to come back at a later date and then expand to four lanes in the canyon. We don't want to have to come back in a relatively short time to fix the problem again."

Albright announced that the Final Environmental Impact Statement is expected to be released sometime in January, and that comments will have to be made during the following 30 days. Anyone wishing to receive a copy may write to California Dept. of Transportation, District 5, P.O. Box 8114, San Luis Obispo, Ca. 93403. There will be a charge of approximately $25 to cover Caltrans' duplication costs.

After the presentations by split route proponents and Caltrans, members of the audience asked questions and made statements for about another two hours.



MARK ANDREW SHOWS HIS handcarved wooden sculpture of Steelhead to Reid Woodward and his daughter, May, at the Mid-Valley Artists Christmas Fair last weekend. Theme of the show :"Be Smart! Buy Art!" *Sun Photo by Stan Hall.*

Traffic Meeting Scheduled Dec. 11

The fourth regional Monterey Peninsula Traffic committee meeting will be held at 5:30 p.m. Dec. 11 at the Carmel Mission Inn in Carmel.

The meeting, announced by Supervisors Sam P. Karas and Karin Strasser Kauffman, is open to the public and will include representatives from the Peninsula cities, CALTRANS and various regional agencies. John Stevens, consultant for the State Assembly Transportation Committee, will be the principal speaker.

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By Marjorie Schmidt

Manzanita is a Good Ground Cover

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'Emerald Carpet' is a recently introduced cultivar, presumed to be a cross between bearberry (**A. uva-ursi**) and Ft. Bragg manzanita (**A. nummularia**). Its outstanding values are firm, bright green leaves and the ability to remain fresh appearing even in hot weather. At a moderately fast growing rate it soon forms a uniform, permanent ground cover. It seldom exceeds 10 to 16 inches in height, and in its old age tends to have a mounding growth form. Small oval leaves are well spaced along the dark reddish stems, and are a rich emerald green color throughout the year. In March this plant has a scattering of small pink flowers.

Care in the garden. As with all members of the manzanita genus, 'Emerald Carpet' must have well drained soil. It should be watered deeply every two or three weeks during the summer months, especially where temperatures are high. Pruning is seldom necessary if space has been allowed for its growth.

'Emerald Carpet' is excellent as a ground and slope cover, under filtered tree shade or in the sun, as an edging for a shrub and tree border, or in rock gardens.

Propagation. As with any hybrid or selection, propagation by cuttings is the recommended method to perpetuate the fine traits for which it was chosen. Take cuttings from firm, semi-ripe wood from the current year's growth, dip in a rooting hormone which includes a fungicide, and place in small pots filled with equal parts of moistened peat moss and coarse sand. Keep under plastic to provide air but assure that cuttings never dry out; give them plenty of light but no direct sun. Cuttings should root in 4 to 8 weeks, when they can be placed in larger pots.

Companions. Landscapers sometimes use two ground covers with contrasting foliage; Hearst ceanothus (**Ceanothus hearstiorum**) with its pebbled foliage and bright blue flowers makes an interesting contrast to the smooth bright green leaves and pinkish flowers of 'Emerald Carpet.'

Availability. Manzanita 'Emerald Carpet' is widely available in the horticultural trade. Ask your local nursery for it.

The late Marjorie Schmidt was a native plant gardener and the author of Growing California Native Plants (UC Press 1980). For reprints of this article, information on sources of native plant materials, or on membership in the California Native Plant Society, write to CNPS, 909 12th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814. Telephone 916-447-CNPS. For local information, call 659-2528.

Godspell Tryouts

Auditions for the musical, Godspell, will be held Dec. 9-10 from 4:30 to 6 p.m. at the Wharf Theater, Monterey. Call 372-1373 for information.

What's Blooming?

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Status on Women Group Needs Applicants

Fourth District Supervisor Sam Karas is seeking applicants for appointment to Monterey County's Commission on the Status of Women.

Karas wants to fill two vacancies effective Dec. 31 and March 1. The commission serves in an advisory capacity to the Board of Supervisors on various matters relating to women. The Fourth District includes Monterey, Seaside, Del Rey Oaks, parts of Sand City and Pebble Beach.

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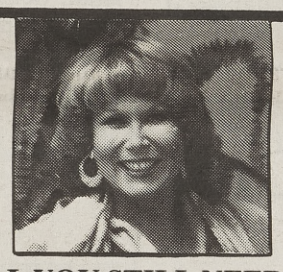

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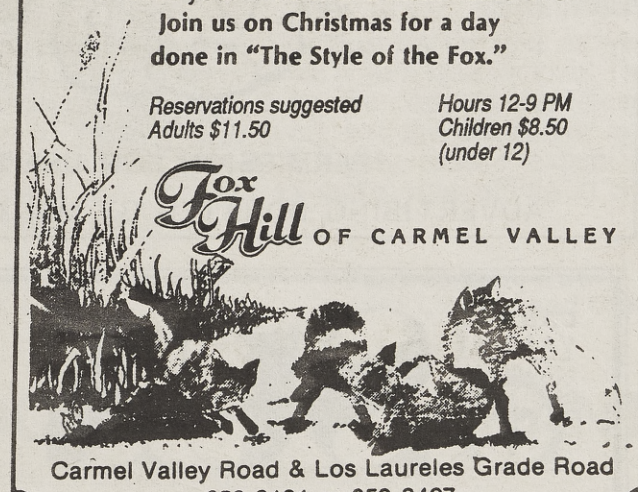

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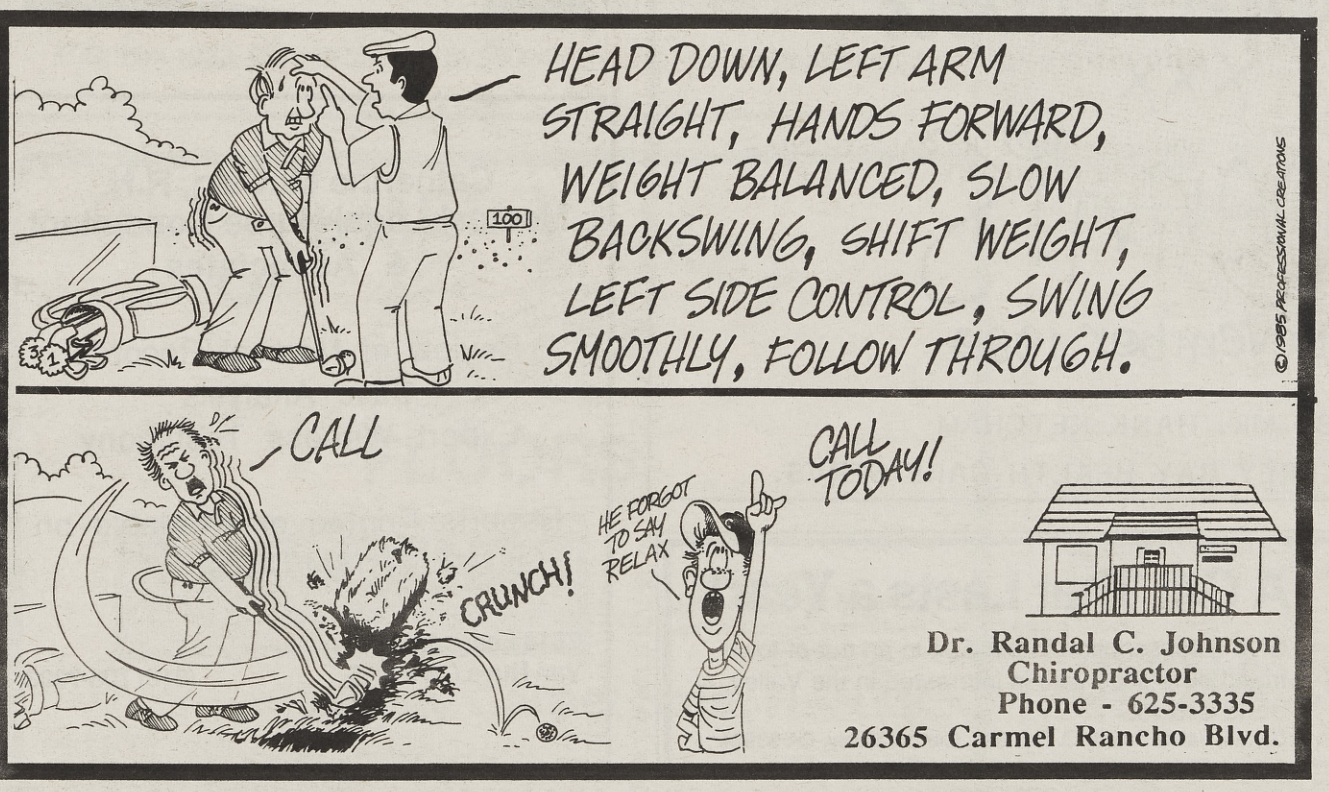
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Brush Strokes *The Art Scene*

The 23rd Annual Seaside City Hall Competitive Art Exhibition

By Anita DeCarlo

By the time you read this review this show will have been taken down. So, rather than write a review of the show, per se, I will select a few of the artists represented who merit keeping an eye on. I am not inclined to write about that which I don't find aesthetically interesting anyway.

Renee Eaton is well represented with her first prize in watercolor. "Meditation" is a masterful handling of glazes and inventive textures. The technique she is exploring using the gesso on her watercolor expands the possibilities of the medium to the point where the feeling of a water medium in somewhat lost--but the rewards are well worth the means. This particular piece transcends any medium and is simply a beautiful painting, well handled spaces through intensity and edges.

The "Last Roundup" is somewhat of a prelude to "Meditation" in terms of technique--not as individual and layered; it just misses resolution and it needs a more tender consideration of edge. Renee Eaton's gesso/watercolors are something of an adventure and I anticipate great things to come in these intellectual/sensual exercises.

Renee McClue took second place in painting for her "Leaves of Grass," one of three works representing her work. "Leaves" accomplishes an organic geometry, a twist of space that I like. "Sticks and Stones" has too much the feeling "I've seen this before," a contrived arrangement, values predominant. In neither of these is color really a consideration at all. She avoids color as alien territory.

Her sculpture on the other hand is loaded with color but without significance. Color's role is not understood nor is three dimensional space.

But Craig Caster's "Hindsight" is all that a sculpture should be with nothing extraneous. As pure a form as a wind-bent cypress, excellently conceived spatial shapes that maintain a continuous aesthetic curve at any point of view, whether the shape itself or the negatives created within and around the space. I will remember his name.

Ronald Bean received a second place for his watercolor, "Three Little Maids." I have always enjoyed Mr. Bean's watercolors but I think this one is exceptional pure watercolor, a classic handling of the medium in strong, bold color and shape, explicit use of the white of the paper, deft handling of the edges and still maintaining strength of form, concise and compact yet somehow quite fluid within. Beauty of simplicity.

Phil Horner's watercolors are just a little less than traditional but they are consistent with his concept. His two paintings are actually handled quite differently but each is aimed for separate goals. He controls his medium and makes it work for the preconceived image (Less than spontaneous, simply a different approach). I would like to see a larger selection to find a more common thread.

Jim Casteel received a third place for his painting "Africa." It is not identified as oil or acrylic. I'd like to know for sure. I like very much what I see here, his deliberate opaque framing of a transparent inner space for a physical and psychological distortion of the flat canvas.

I was not much smitten with Sally Sander's watercolor effort but found her block print "Chinese Boy with Macaw" very worthwhile, something of good design, playful, the medium itself well evident, cuts like dashing brushstrokes, unself-conscious.

Anita DeCarlo

And Joanne Light! Here are brushstrokes like bold slashes, a very assertive watercolor, very much more her style than the soft tentative face which she painted for the Pacific Grove watercolor show. "Point Joe" is a powerful, vigorous response to what she sees; it is making the medium work for the spontaneous, instantaneous need--zingy reds as rocks submerge in water, slap-dash warm and cool greens and blues slap the waves between them. And, it works because there is a working sense of the order of aesthetics, a sensitivity to the developing painting as she works. What about a roomful of these?

20 Local Artists Enter Community Center Christmas Fair Dec. 9

Twenty local artists and craftsmen will have their work on display at the "Welcome Santa" Art & Crafts Fair at the Village Community Center Saturday, Dec. 9 from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Rodger Weeks, one of the organizers of the art fair and an exhibitor, said he was pleased to have so many participants. The show coincides with the arrival of Santa Claus at the Village Airport and the Santa Claus parade through town to the center.

Participating artists include: Chris Arnold, Dee Cantlon, Sunday Collins, Virginia Ford, Julia Masaoka, Ami McGill, Debi Efron, Ron Bean, Nancy Fleming-Beckett, Sara Celis, Sharron Wasko, Isabelle Hall, Bay Laurel Farms, Rocking Horse Ranch and Gary Heller.

Art Docent Training

The Monterey Peninsula Museum of Art will begin a six-week docent training program Jan. 8.

Docents serve as volunteers, working three hours a month in the Docent Office, conducting tours for adults and children, providing Tea Cup tours for senior citizens and assisting with research and the installation of exhibitions at the museum. They also enjoy educational programs, exhibition briefings and field trips.

The training period includes lectures, oral presentations and tour workshops followed by on-the-job training. While a background in art or art history and/or prior museum experience is helpful, it is not mandatory. Call 624-3708 for further information.

Meals on Wheels Watercolor Show

Paintings by members of the Carmel Adult School Outdoor Watercolor Class are on display this month at the Meals on Wheels headquarters in Pacific Grove.

The class is under the instruction of Anita DeCarlo, art reviewer for the *Sun*. Ten percent of the profit from the sale of any of the paintings will be donated to Meals on Wheels. The organization serves hot meals in their homes to people who cannot get out and also offers lunch at its headquarters.

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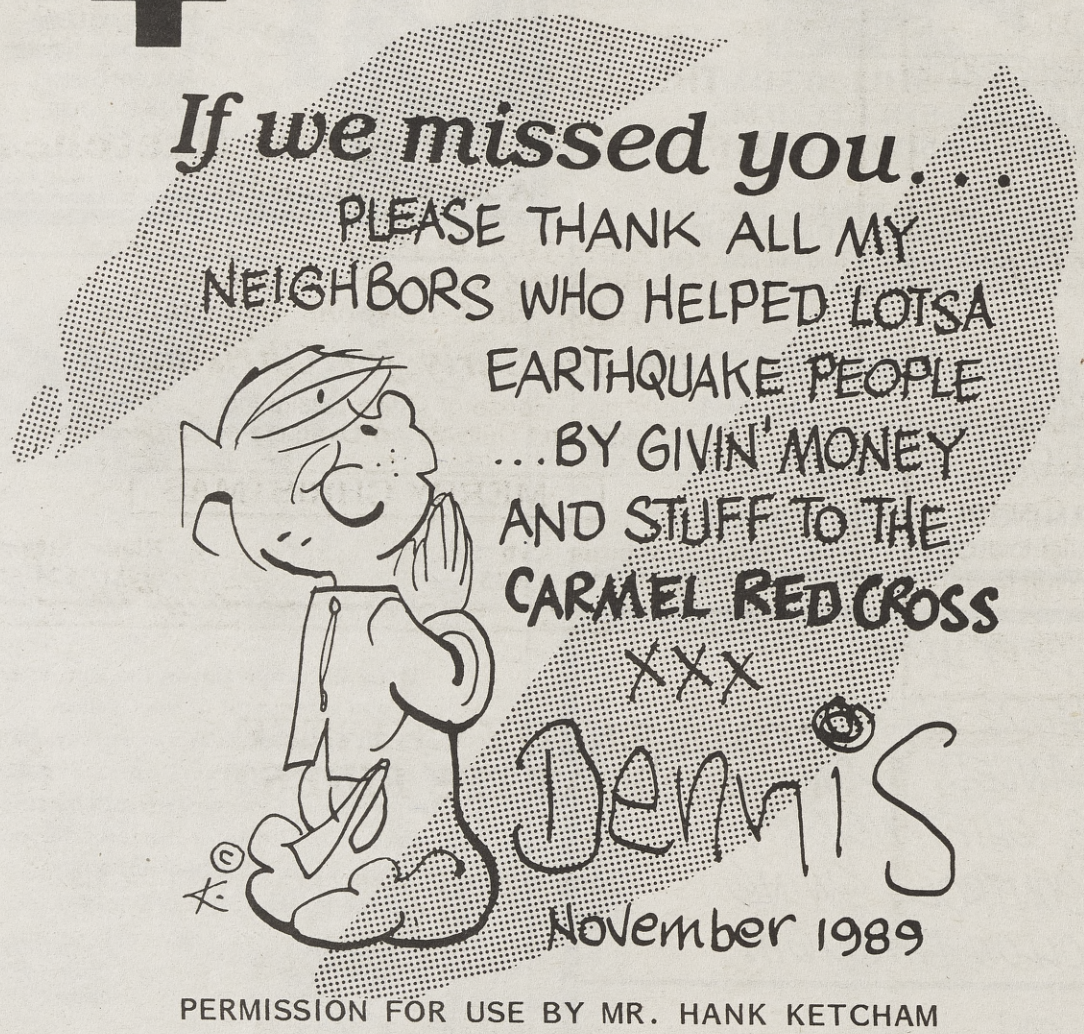
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BETTY J. SEYFERTH, VICE CHAIRMAN of the Monterey Housing Authority, Right, admires Christmas tree decorations at the annual Rippling River Christmas Bazaar last Saturday. Dory Schoonmaker, Left, a resident, shows Mrs. Seyferth what the residents made for the sale. *Sun Photo by Isabelle Hall.*

New Babies

McKenzie Paige, daughter, born to **Judith** and **John I. Pospishil**, Nov. 1.

Alexandria Eve, daughter, born to **Patricia** and **Forrest Hunt**, Nov. 5.

Stephine Ann, daughter, born to **Jona** and **John Bussey**, Nov 6.

Candace Lee, daughter, born to **Elaine** and **Ronald Eldridge**, Nov. 8

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Alexandra, daughter, born to **Nina** and **Manuel Ruiz**, Nov. 15.

MacKenzie Anne, daughter, born to **Debra** and **Stephen Keller**, Nov. 21.

MPC Offers Art and Architecture Studies

Two special short-term courses featuring the art and architecture of the Monterey Peninsula will be offered in January at the Monterey Peninsula College.

A two-week course by instructors Kent Seavy and Rick Janick will trace the Visual Arts of the peninsula and there also will be tours of selected art institutions. It begins the week of Jan. 9.

The Architectural Heritage of the Monterey Peninsula will feature development of the communities of Monterey, Carmel, Pacific Grove and Pebble Beach plus the early adobes. It starts the same week. A companion one-day Architectural Tour of the peninsula is scheduled for Jan. 20.

Persons interested in enrolling can do so at the Admissions and Records Office through Dec. 21.

Village Criteria

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document that is approved by the Supervisors to more closely follow their original draft.

"Maybe we can resurrect and reassemble this document to some semblance of order as we would like to see it finalized," they said.

The panel members and the areas in the two documents they were to assess were:

- Randazzo, signing and future airport development;
- Heald, road setbacks, paving and parking areas and traffic circulation and parking;
- Mrs. Saxton, architecture and exterior appearance, scale, materials and colors and architectural style;
- Coakley, vegetation and landscaping and lighting;
- Williams, siting and grading, fences and outside storage of materials and equipment.

The document approved by the Commission would limit the height of commercial, multiple residential or single-family homes to 26 feet. It would stipulate the use of rustic, natural and earth-toned materials, and specify that parking and paved areas would be required to be screened by trees and landscaping.

It also would limit the size of commercial signs, require that exterior lighting be hooded so that it only shone were illumination was desired..

The document included an appendix specifically spelling out procedures to be used to protect native oak trees during construction projects. The document said the Coastal Live Oak shall be designated the official tree of the Village. It, along with other native oaks and valley or white oaks,was specified to be used in screening parking areas. The planting of Monterey pine in the Village core would be prohibited under the criteria.

Appointed by the Supervisors, the citizens' panel held at least four public hearings and many working and drafting sessions over the past two years to develop criteria.

Randazzo said the members took their responsibility seriously.

"It was only supposed to take six months," he said, "and it took two years, and it's still not approved. It was a bigger job than they anticipated.

"It took a lot of effort. It took us away from our jobs."

5-Year Plan

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- Reconstruction of Rio Road from Highway 1 to Atherton Drive.
- Remove a slide on Carmel Valley Road at milepost 28.9.

The plan contained a similar section on bridges, listing those that would be considered for replacement if fund were available. Included on the bridge list were:

- Boronda Road at Carmel River. Bridge No. 507/44c-99.
- Esquiline Road at Hitchcock Creek. Bridge No. 512/44c-112.
- Arrroyo Seco Road at Arroyo Seco River. Bridge No. 311/44c-34,
- Cachagua Road at Cachagua Creek. Bridge No. 529/44c-121.
- Esquiline Road at Hitchcock Creek. Bridge No. 510/44c-106.
- Nason Road at Cachagua Creek. Bridge No. 526/44c-123.
- Tassajara Road at Cachagua Creek. 532/44c-119.
- Carmel Valley Road at Chupines Creek. Bridge No. 512/none.
- Carmel Valley Road at Finch Creek. 542/44c-87.

The plan, noting that the list of bridges needing replacement was long, said "we do not imagine that all this work could be funded. It is our intention to continue to monitor fund availability and to replace as many of these bridges as we can."

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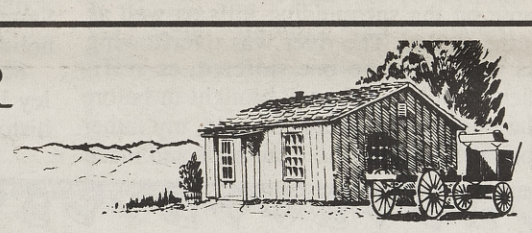

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Yesteryears

By Elizabeth Barratt

Christmas in Carmel Valley

Warm hearts, good cheer, fun times and being together with family and friends are always the order of the holiday season. But what did they do in the old days? That is, before electric lights, cars, shopping centers, artificial trees and the umpteenth showing of "It's a Wonderful Life?"

My grandmother, who was born and raised on a farm in Aptos in the 1890's, used to tell me Christmas wasn't such an enormous event back them. She and her sisters strung popcorn chains to hang on the tree, which was also decorated with real fruit, and real candles. Her family was large, seven children, so each person received only one major gift.

Christmas Eve, everyone enjoyed getting dressed up to go to the evening church service for the special children's pageant. On Christmas morning, they woke up at dawn to rush downstairs for the trinkets Santa had left in the stockings hung over the mantelpiece.

The Christmas Day feast was a highlight, and following the meal, one of the children got to recite "'Twas the Night Before Christmas" out loud to the family. But the next day, everyone went back to farm chores.

Joe Hitchcock, who was born in 1881, left us a description of his family's Christmas holidays in Carmel Valley:

"Christmas was our favorite holiday. When turkey was not available for the feast, chicken, duck, or geese was served. Sometimes a leg of pork or venison played a prominent part along with pumpkins, mince, and apple pie. We always had a big pudding with syrup or honey called 'Duff.'"

"I remember a Christmas in the early eighties," he continues, "when we had snow on the surrounding hills as well as in the Valley. The river was overflowing its banks. But no one suffered, as sufficient supplies had been brought in before the rainy season. I was so cold, my father took the mattresses off our beds and made them up on the floor in front of the fireplace to keep us warm. The old wood range and open fireplace were our only source of heat and they were kept going all night.

"In those days there were no midnight Masses. There was, however, what the natives called Misa del Gallo, meaning (getting up with the) rooster at five in the morning of Christmas (for Mass.).

"Our holidays were always opened with prayer, at any rate. Our beautiful valley was always colored with Toyon berries, or California holly as it was called by some."

I was curious about the dessert Joe mentioned, Duff, having read a reference to "Prune Duff" in the diary of an Argonaut who sailed around the Horn in 1849 enroute to California's gold fields. He wrote that it was served on board every day of the voyage.

The earliest cookbooks in my collection go back to the 1860's, but nowhere in them did I find a reference to "Duff."

Finally, it surfaced in the very readable and highly amusing 1984 volume, "Square Meals," by Square and Michael Stern. Their recipe for "Prune Duff" is adapted from the 1957 volume, "Complete American Cookbook," by Stella Standard.

Prune Duff is a baked dessert made with butter, sugar, egg, flour, pitted and mashed prunes, milk and baking soda. It's then topped with a rich sauce of more butter, egg, powdered sugar and whipped cream. Somehow, you can just tell it was invented in the pre-calorie, pre-cholesterol era!

Enjoy your holidays, and if we should get a storm and lose electrical power, just go back in your imagination and pretend it's a Christmas of one hundred years ago. Snuggle up to the fireplace, get out your holiday poetry, and enjoy lots of dessert.

Merry Christmas from the Carmel Valley History Society and best wishes for an historic 1990!

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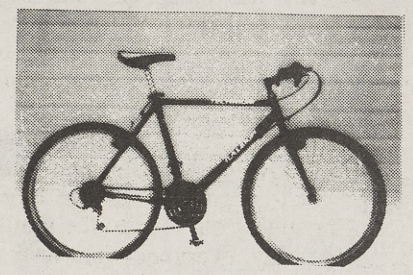

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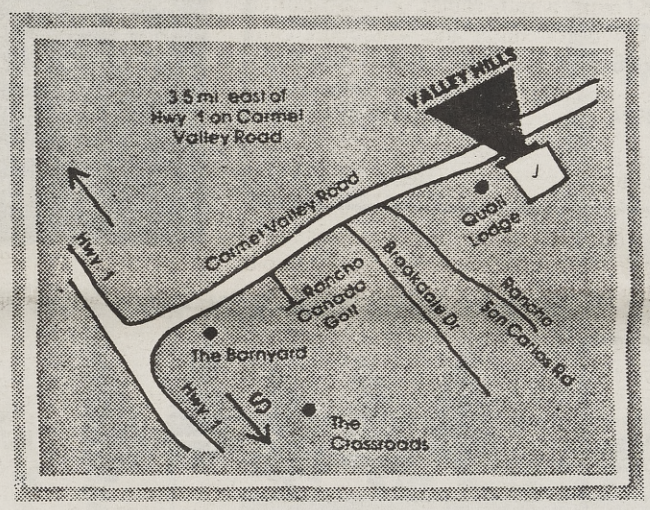

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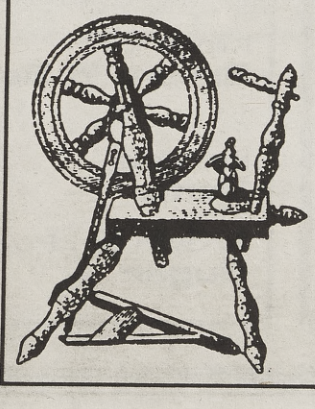

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The SPCA will have special adoption policies for the period from Dec. 21 to 26 because of its belief that the holidays may be "the very worst time to bring a new pet home."

Anyone adopting a dog or cat during this time will not be permitted to take the new pet home until the morning of Dec. 26 and then only if it has been spayed or neutered.

"We have found in the past that with the stress of the holidays and the extra activities around the home, a new pet is often ignored," said Jim Bennett, manager of Community Outreach Services. "We certainly don't want to discourage anyone from adopting a pet during this time frame but we feel that it is best for the animal if he or she doesn't make an appearance until the flurry of Christmas activities has subsided."

The SPCA recommends gift certificates which are available for animals in the shelter as an alternative. however, these are contingent upon approval of an adoption questionnaire by the recipient of the certificate.

Postmaster Urges Peel and Stick Labels

Carmel Valley Postmaster Terry Williams urges mailers to break the iron-clad tradition of hand addressing Christmas cards and packages this year.

"I'd like you to consider breaking it this year,"Williams said in a statement. "If you're a personal computer user, why not use your machine to print peel-and-stick labels? a printed address, in the proper format, only requires a quick glance by a distribution clerk to speed it on its way."

The post office will be open Saturday Dec. 9 and 16 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and will answer the door between 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. for parcel delivery on Dec. 23.

Earthquake Gala Benefit

Former Carmel Mayor Clint Eastwood will be master of ceremonies Dec. 10 at a Monterey Conference Center benefit for earthquake victims in the Pajaro area, County Supervisors Marc Del Piero and Sam Karas announced.

The star-studded gala will include such local celebrities as Doris Day, Merv Griffin and Joan Fontaine. No-host cocktails will be served at 6 p.m. with dinner at 7 p.m. and a show at 8:30 p.m.

Tickets are $60 per person, $100 per couple or $500 per table of ten. Reservations can be made by mailing checks to the Pajaro Earthquake Relief Fund, P.O. Box` 2662, Monterey, 93940. Seating is limited, according to the sponsors.

Christmas Events

CARMEL AREA CHILDREN, aged 3 to 8, are invited to register for a phone call from Santa Claus. Sponsored by the Carmel-by-the-Sea Recration Dept., the program matches a volunteer Santa or Mrs. Claus with a child. Santa will call pre-registered children between 2 -7 p.m., Dec. 17. For information, call 626-1255.

Carmel Xmas Celebration

Carmel will celebrate "Holiday in Carmel" the weekend of Dec. 15-17 with music from the Carmel High School Band, caroling and strolling entertainers.

It is hoped the first such community event will become a tradition, the local business association said. Shop windows will be decorated and glowing with thousands of lights. Neighborhoods will gather Friday at 5 p.m. for caroling and at 6 p.m. at Devendorf Park for a tree lighting ceremony.

Many shopkeeprs plan to dress in Dickens era costumes. Cookies and hot apple cider will be served and there will be a collection of canned goods and unwrapped toys for the Salvation Army.

The city offers 2-hour parking in all 1-hour parking spaces from Dec. 1-20.

Foster Care Homes Needed

The Monterey County Foster Parents need people to care for babies, teens, sibling groups and minorities, especially Hispanic children.

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'HOLIDAY IN CARMEL' will be celebrated Dec. 15-17 with caroling, strolling entertainment and Christmas decorations.

THE WALK, WALK, WALK club is having a potluck Christmas party at 3 p.m., Dec. 9, in the social Hall at Meals on Wheels, 700 Jewell St., Pacific Grove. 659-0517.

THE REFUGEE SERVICE CENTER and the YWCA will present a Christmas Festival Dance at the Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby Ave., Seaside, Dec. 10, 8 to 10 p.m. to benefit refugees from El Salvador and other Central American countries.

FREE PINE SEEDLINGS. Carmel-by-the-Sea Post Office parking lot. 8-11 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 9. Also free native wildflower packets and some Douglas firs, redwoods and Bishop Pines.

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"A CELTIC CHRISTMAS" will be presented at the Grovement Theater in Monterey, Dec. 12 and 19, 8 p.m., featuring Poet and storyteller Taelen Thomas and Vocalist Margaret Faulkner. 649-5561.

THE CARMEL VALLEY GARDEN Association will hold its Christmas dinner at Rancho Canada, Dec. 14, Cheer at 6 p.m., Dinner at 7 p.m.

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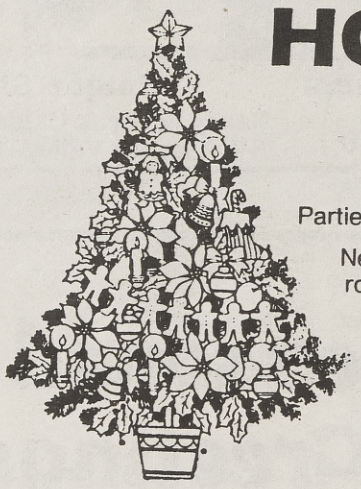

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Molly Pettit
Johanna Rosen
Joseph Sheedy
Daniel Silver
Brittany Struve
Keiko Tanaka
Miki Terasawa
Danielle Wall

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Jeni Beerman
Holly Erk
Eric Kauffman
Hoshiko Kikukawa
Matthew Miller
Danielle Picard
Aryanna Pinney
Carrie Shiffman
Luna Suh
Nicole Braden
Todd Watts

Honors
Haruno Ito
Bridget Bohnen
Jennifer Eyerman
Emilie Foster
Camden Hubbard
Sam Melton
Brandon Roberts
Claudia Rusu
David Soskin
Jonathan Spaulding
Robert Shaffer
Navarre Bautista
Kyle Decker
Finn Horsley
Jacquie MacMillan
Sara Swartz
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Alex Vorobiov
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Jason Edwards
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Alexis Dominguez
Jamie Farrow
Loch Geisen
Kari Mayo
Brian O'Rourke
Alyssa Shannon
Annabelle Siino
Sakura Terui
Louie Dillard
Sara Frye
Quinton Hoover
Christopher Hyndman
Jon Karachale
Shadd Madsen
Joelle Marshall
Megan Martine
Amy Ockert
Brian Patch
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Robin Retherford
Matthew Sortwell
Justin Stapleton

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Aaron Gaily
Todd Hoskins
Jennifer Kabat
Annelise Moore
Malia Seltzer
Illona Simon
Kimberly Wagstaff

High Honors
Brooke Andrews
Allison Bohnen
Scott Clack
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Erica Freitas
Stacey Gray
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Claire Huntington
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Jamie Lawn
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Jennifer Dickman
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Adrianne Humiston
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Gary Briant
Kristen Carlson
Marcy Connelly
Rebecca Croll-Donahoe
Andrew Emerson
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Bret Hogan
Katie Hyndman
Janet Lee
Jessica Manke
John Martine
Amir Masliyah
Robbie Nakamura
Lauren Picard
Abigail Rosenthal
Jennifer Scholl
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Shelby Wilson

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Jessamine Franklin
Michael Gulla
Christine Handel
David Keeble
Chris Langslet
Genevieve Lewis
Mattea Querfurth
Sage Simon
Quincy Struve
Charles Swallow
Barrie Wise

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Stiles Bliss
Michael Campa
Kendra Cunov
Andra Faverty
Bodhi Garrett
Jeremiah Jeffries
Molly Koontz
Jody Lincoln
Kayla McCutchan
Brandon Milligan
Miles Nielsen
Paul Petersen
Thaya Saxby
Kristi Sullivan
Angela Updyke
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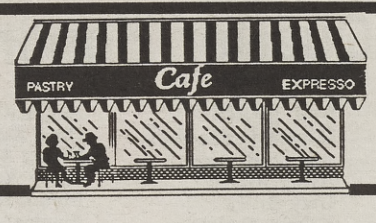

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On a recent visit, we had just been seated at the perfectly set table with its cheerful pink tablecloth when in walked a busload of birdwatchers, cold and hungry from their day outdoors. Our first thought was this was a bad night to have come.

With lightning speed, however, the staff of three had rearranged two large tables for the group, taken their beverage and food orders and looked after us and four other tables.

Not to be outdone, Chef Albert Lee provided steaming, hot dishes of eggrolls, pot stickers and other appetizers to the ravenous birders almost in the twinkling of an eye.

Feelingly more leisurely, we started with a spicy Hot and Sour Soup, enticingly served in a beautiful blue and white Canton china bowl with a long, brass ladle decorated in Chinese symbols.

There was enough for four but My Friend and I managed to eat it all. It is a rich chicken broth spiced with hot peppers and vinegar full of bits of pork, tiger lily buds, green onions and bean sprouts.

In addition to special dinners, there are 127 different items on the menu so it pays to take your time and think about what you order. In my opinion, Chinese food should be eaten as it was intended--with several dishes shared between the diners.

This is a little harder to do with just two people but we decided on a longtime favorite, Mu Shu Pork, to follow the rich soup. Half the fun of this dish is watching the skilled waitress use a pair of chopsticks to ladle Hoisin sauce onto Chinese pancakes, fill them with a hot mixture of pork, scrambled eggs, bean sprouts, green onions and spices and then neatly fold it up so you can eat one of them in your hand.

By this time, we were feeling pretty satisfied but we just managed room for some Ta-Chie Chicken and bowls of steamed white rice.China Ocean warns you on the menu with a symbol of a hot pepper if a dish is hot and spicy and we had chosen the chicken for that reason. It was prepared with bamboo shoots, green peppers, black mushrooms and celery and some large chunks of hot red peppers.

Both the food and the elegant presentation reflect the background of Chef Lee who was at one time the private chef for the late Chang Da Tchen, the famous Chinese artist.

Desserts are chilled lichee fruit or Mandarin glazed bananas or apples, and your check comes with icy, cold orange wedges and the ubiquitous fortune cookies we all expect.

China Ocean, Crossroads. 625-3367.

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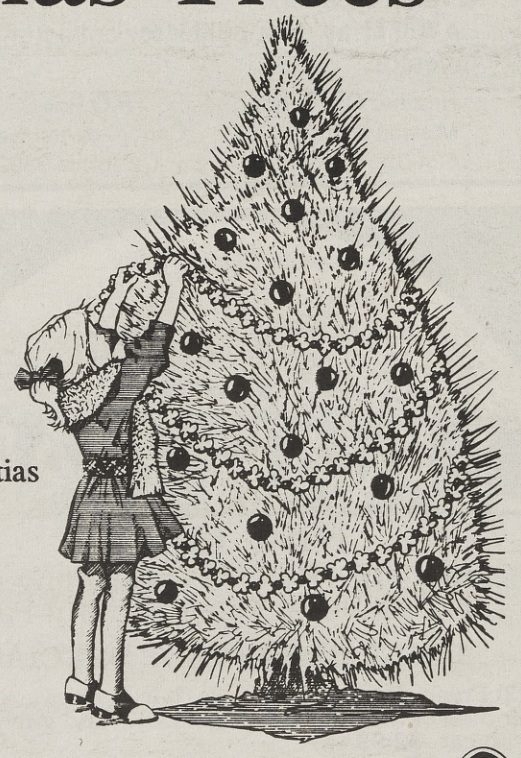

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Fandango

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The Basque Provinces of Spain border France on the Bay of Biscay and are themselves bordered by the Pyrenees. To some, the cooking of the region is the best in all of Spain. The land is a little like the Monterey Peninsula in that it can be bright and sunny one minute and clothed in dense fog, the next. Similarly, the cuisine features food from the sea and the land.

Traditional sheepherders, the Basque who migrated to this country tended to settle in similar mountain areas of Idaho, Nevada and California. They brought with them their richly spiced, hearty peasant dishes, colorful to look at and taste.

Recently voted one of the most popular restaurants in the area, Fandango mixes Basque food with a liberal sprinkling of Italian and other concoctions perhaps more familiar to the American palate but there are a couple of authentic dishes such as the Paella Fandango and Cassoulet Maison and a selection of Tapas, the Spanish-style appetizers. Owners Pierre and Marietta Bain characterize their food as "European Country Style Cuisine."

It is a crowded, bustling restaurant with one huge dining room where you can watch the chefs grill rack of lamb plus numerous small, cozy rooms. The veteran waiters manage to give good service despite the crowds.

On a recent visit, we sampled the paella, served in a huge skillet full of saffron rice, prawns, scallops, cod, clams, mussels, sausage, chicken, peas, peppers and onions. The flavors blend beautifully and the textures are nicely contrasting.

One friend enjoyed Tortellini Maison, a fresh pasta filled with a variety of cheeses and basil in a cream sauce. Another had fun eating the Couscous Algerois, a stew of lamb, vegetables and semolina, presented with raisins, sliced almonds and the fiery North African spice, Harissa which comes in a little tube to squirt on the food.

The bread is excellent and does seem almost as hearty as Basque sheepherders would carry to sustain them in the mountains.

Desserts have the French flavor of many of our best restaurants. There is creme caramel, an intensely chocolate mousse served on a plate of raspberry sauce, and a light and airy frozen Grand Marnier souffle with raspberry sauce. Nice endings to a hearty meal.

Fandango, Pacific Grove. 373-0588.

RESOLUTION SALUTING Carmel Valley's Kiwanis Club is presented to Randy Randazzo by 29th District Assemblyman Eric Seastrand. It recognized Kiwanis as a leading sponsor and organizer of the Valley's Centennial celebration in August. Randazzo, chairman of the Centennial Committee, told Seastrand that he hopes the plaque will soon hang in the Cooper Ranch House at Garland Park. *Sun photo by John Anderson*

Big Sur Council to Meet Dec. 8 on Pending Issues

The next quarterly meeting of the Big Sur Multi-Agency Advisory Council will be held Dec. 8 at 10 a.m. to review a number of proposed projects and pending permits.

The meeting is being called by the Chair, Monterey County Supervisor Karin Strasser Kauffman and will involve all government agencies with jurisdiction in Big Sur. The public meeting will be held at Pfeiffer Big Sur State conference room.

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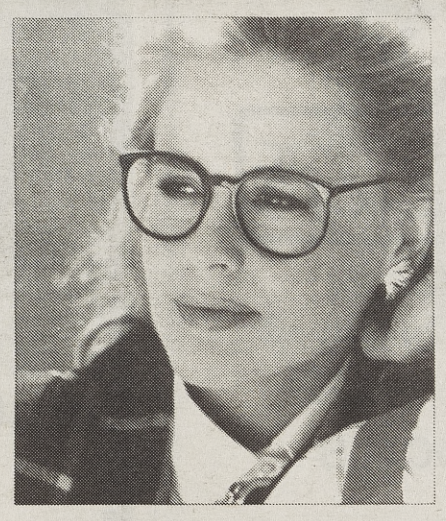

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Out and About

By Isabelle Hall

According to the dictionary, a park is "an area of land, usually in a natural state, for the enjoyment of the public, having facilities for rest and recreation, usually owned, set apart, and managed by a city, state, or nation."

This area is unusually blessed with parks that are just that and more. You can take a day trip to some of the most beautiful parks in the world and much of the time find them virtually empty of people.

When we are feeling exceptionally reclusive, my husband and I like to take a picnic lunch to a park where the overwhelming feeling is one of silence. It is such a special, quiet place that you can almost hear the insects scurrying in the shrubs and you certainly can hear the fish flip out of the water. If you go in the winter months, chances are you will not see another soul although there is a ranger in the area.

One sunny winter afternoon, we found the gate across an enticing road was open so we started to follow it. My husband had been itching to travel this road for a year but it was always closed and we had heard it frequently washed out and was impassable most of the year.

I was of the opinion it was still impassable as we went at a snail's pace, bouncing along the bedrock, inches from the cliffs on my side where I could look down a thousand feet or more and still not see the valley floor. The challenge was just the kind he likes best but after we had traveled for an hour and covered barely eight miles, I convinced him to turn back and forgo the thrill of coming out in the Ventana Wilderness until another time.

To reach this park, which is called Arroyo Seco Picnic Area on the Monterey County map, you drive east on Carmel Valley Road to Arroyo Seco Road and head back west for the climb up to The Lakes. The tricky road, if you're game, is called Indians Road and if you followed it you would cross the western edge of the Ventana Wilderness and reach the Indians Ranger Station at Santa Lucia Memorial Park.

A similar "quiet park" is Jack's Peak off Highway 68. On the western side of this park you look over Monterey Bay and the City of Monterey--a view well worth the trip. But, you can also walk east into quiet woods under towering pines and rarely see a soul. It seems to me it is the peace that nature's state of order instills that make parks so important to the human race. When our minds are cluttered with the trappings of life, it is time to find a quiet place and be calmed.

My brother and I have such strong memories of a park with a hidden, almost magical lake in the Muskoka area of Northern Ontario that we made a rigorous sentimental journey to find it one blustery October day. Our game spouses joined us for a windy, cold, hour-long trip bouncing across icy lakes in an open outboard motorboat to the spot where we thought the park was. We had been taken there as children on an old-fashioned lake steamer for an annual family picnic every August.

We had a map of the lakes but when we got to the area we were sure was it, the huge old dock for the lake steamer was gone and there were only a few summer homes, their doors and

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"THE GREATEST MEETING of land and water in the world." That is the way Carmel artist Francis McComas described Pt. Lobos. As majestic as it is, other parks in the area offer their own grandeur of a different kind.
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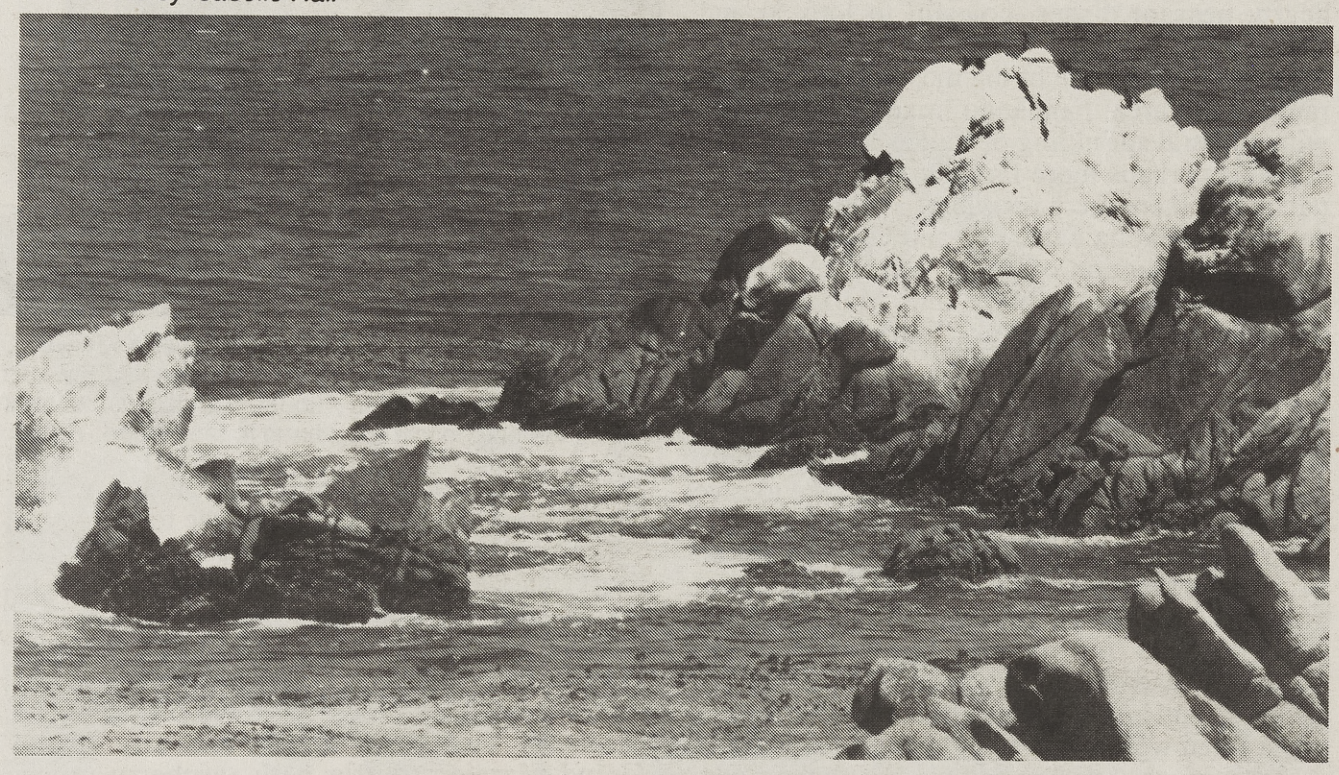

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windows shuttered against the coming winter storms, lake water lapping against the deserted boathouses. Fortunately, a man closing his cottage for the winter told us we were indeed at the right place but the dock had long since gone and the park with it although he believed the lake we sought was just up and over the steep rocky hills to the north.

Undaunted, we tied up at a dock and left our spouses to eat their picnic while Alan and I trudged up a steep hill that seemed never to end. The thick moss under towering pine trees was slippery and it was hard going. As usual my big brother was yards ahead of me, almost as vigorous at 60 as he was at 10.

I couldn't breathe when I finally broke out into the sunlight on a rocky plateau so high that we could see Mirror Lake, our childhood picnic ground far below, and look over the woods we had climbed through to Lake Joseph and the route we had taken 20 miles or so to the south.

I took a picture of my brother and the lake and we started back down, slipping and sliding, satisfied that we had found that special place which we had not been to for about 45 years.

Pt. Lobos is a very special place although its beauty is so heart-rending that it is rare to find it without visitors. Carmel artist Francis McComas called it "the greatest meeting of land and water in the world" and no one seems to have challenged his statement.

Even when it is crowded, you can find quiet places on the miles of trails that traipse through tangled cypress trees along wind-swept headlands above jagged coves. Or through meadows where deer graze to the ocean's edge and you can hear the barking sea lions for which the park is named. The early Spanish settlers called it "Punta de los Lobos Marinos" or "Point of the Sea Wolves."

There are also harbor seals, sea otters and cormorants and heron and, if it is between December and May, migrating Gray whales and some of the rarer blue whales may be spotted offshore. This magnificent park, surely the jewel of the state park system, is only two miles or so south of Highway 1 and Rio Road.

Traveling north barely an hour will bring you to another rare park, The Elkhorn Slough near the Moss Landing power plant. This national estuarine preserve is said to have more species of birds passing through than any other park in the nation.

Go inland to Toro Park on Highway 68 where the rolling hills are purple with lupine in the spring or to Garland Park on Carmel Valley Road. Both are part of the county regional park system and offer endless miles of trails for hikers where you can find your own special, quiet place.

If it is the ocean that draws you, there is Windows on the Bay in Monterey, Lovers' Point in Pacific Grove, Carmel Beach, Carmel River Beach and Carmel Monastery Beach or head south along the magnificent Big Sur Coast and take your pick of parks and wilderness areas--all easy day trips from the Carmel-Monterey area, all with some of the most beautiful scenery on earth.

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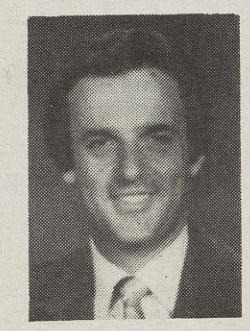
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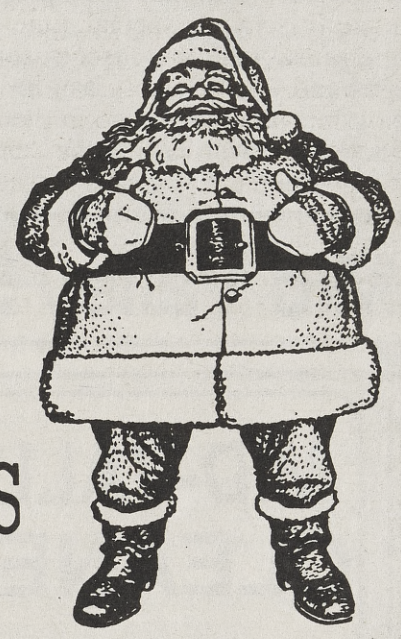

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Proposed High Meadows Condos Sidetracked Again

A proposed 36-unit condominium project in the High Meadows area, stalled for at least a decade in the county planning process, was delayed again when the Board of Supervisors voted to require a new environmental impact report (EIR).

On a 3-1 vote, the board on Nov. 28 ordered a new EIR to replace one prepared in 1984 after Supervisor Karin Strasser Kauffman described the previous EIR "as totally inadequate."

The supervisors took up the project under an order by Superior Judge Richard Silver who said they should reconsider it.

The proposed project would be located at High Meadow Drive and Outlook Drive. The current plan calls for construction of three two-story buildings and three three-story buildings.

Planning for the project dates back to 1979 at least, but it was tied up in the court battle before Silver over the Carmel Valley Master Plan.

Brian Finegan, lawyer for Majid and Adiba Mahroom, the proposed developers, argued that a new EIR was not needed. But Tony Lombardo, attorney for a group of neighbors opposing the development, said the 1984 EIR did not properly analyze the project's drainage, visual and erosion impacts.

Ms. Strasser Kauffman argued that five years had passed since the 1984 document was completed, a period in which the county had undergone significant change.

The new EIR will be paid for by the county and is expected to cost $6,000-$8,000, a planning staff report said.

Board Chairwoman Barbara Shipnuck voted against requiring a new EIR after a sharp exchange with Ms. Strasser Kauffman, who proposed a new EIR be done rather than reviewing the project on the basis of the 1984 analysis.

Free Seniors' Health Checks Scheduled

Free health check-ups for residents 55 and older will be available during December by appointment only at the following locations:

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Carmel Rec Department Sets Basketball Events

The Carmel-by-the-Sea Recreation Department announced that two basketball events are available to area youngsters.

The first is the Hot Shot contest for boys and girls from 9-18 which tests speed, shooting, dribbling and rebounding ability. It will be held at Carmel Middle School at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 9. Telephone 626-1255. Registration will be at the door, and there is no fee.

The second event is the holiday basketball clinic. It also will be held at Carmel Middle School for boys and girls 8-12 on Dec. 18 and 19 from 9-11 a.m. To be taught by Don Covington, the clinic will stress fundamentals of the game. The $5 registration fee can be paid at the Recreation Department at 4th Avenue and Torres Street.

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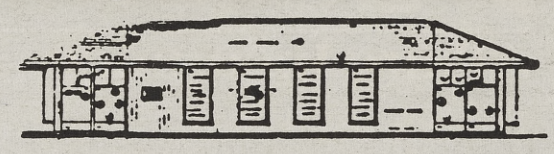

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Ray Maschmeyer: Finding Water with a Witching Stick

By Bob Bates

As a lad of 14, Ray Maschmeyer watched his father witch wells for his friends and neighbors in Seaside.

His father inherited the skill from his own father.

When Maschmeyer purchased several acres near the top of Los Laureles Grade on Toro Road 20 years ago, he became impatient waiting for his father to come and find him a well and he decided to do it himself.

Neighbors, learning that Maschmeyer had located water on his property "with a switch," soon were asking him to find water on their own land.

From that beginning Maschmeyer's reputation grew and even before he retired in 1979, the 50-ish, stockily built former truck driver was dowsing for wells commercially.

Initially, he charged only $25 to locate a well. Today, some 15 years later, he charges $200 to locate water on a smaller property and $300 on a larger one. He also charges an additional $100 if a lot of travel is required.

Since 1975, Maschmeyer has located "probably 450 to 500 wells" for ranchers, real-estate developers and homeowners all over Monterey County. He also has travelled as far away as Yreka and recently flew to Reno to locate water for a developer there.

The greatest obstacle any dowser has to overcome, Maschmeyer said, is disbelief in his ability.

"People look at me sometimes, and I can almost hear what they are thinking. 'I am paying this guy hundreds of dollars to find water for me with a stick. I must be crazy.'"

Still, the customers keep coming. "The drought has increased the demand for my services," he said. "Last year, business increased almost 50 percent. This year, business has doubled over last year."

But the Oct. 17 earthquake slowed things down. "Prior to the quake, I was doing three or four jobs a week. Since the quake, I have only been doing one or two jobs per week, although many wells were lost as a result of the temblor," he said.

While Maschmeyer still uses the traditional switch, he said he has become so sensitive to the flow or presence of water underground that he can often locate a stream with his bare hands. "I feel the pressure of the water," he said, explaining that finding the stream only takes a few seconds.

"Analyzing it for depth and quality takes another 15 minutes or so."

Maschmeyer said that when he senses underground water at a shallow depth, he usually passes it by to search for deeper water. "Shallow wells usually go dry in a short period of time," he explained.

Maschmeyer uses a variety of instruments to help him find water, including a prized blue crystal pendulum. He said he used the pendulum while reading geological and topographical charts to determine the depth of a water source.

"I have really learned to trust the pendulum," he said, "after using it to find an absolutely pure well in an area that was surrounded by sulphurous water."

Witching for water can be physically draining, Maschmeyer said. "When that switch gets really to going, it wears me out."

But the most difficult part, he said, "is to convince a man who already has invested $20,000 drilling holes all over his land to spend another $2,000 to drill down another 480 feet to where I have located a well. They sometimes call me as a last resort.

"I just have to have the courage to lay it on the line and say to the man, 'dig deeper.'"

Maschmeyer has located wells producing from two gallons to over 3,000 gallons per minute. One of his greatest successes came in 1988, when he was commissioned to locate water for Stonewall Canyon Ranches in Soledad. The owners already had put the property on the market because of severe water shortages.

He found two high capacity, high quality wells, prompting praise from Howard Tugle, who manages the properties.

"The real surprise is the well you located on Pinnacles Ranch," Tugle wrote Maschmeyer in 1988. "It replaces an old well with a production of just under 1,000 gpm (gallons per minute) while the well you located just 150 feet away produced over 3,100 gpm.

"But the most remarkable part was the specific gravity of the well increased the harder it was pumped. This means the true capacity of this well never has been approached," Tugle said.

"This is a truly remarkable accomplishment in an area where, historically, water has been scarce and of low quality. It leads me to believe that other good wells may be located on the east side of the Salinas Valley."

From the front porch of the comfortable home he shares with his wife, Colleen, on Toro Road, Maschmeyer looks down on San Benancio Canyon and Corral de Tierra and across to the peak of Mount Toro.

"I can see seven wells I have located from here," he said with satisfaction. "Only certain people have the ability to witch for water."

In Maschmeyer's case, that ability appears to run in the family.

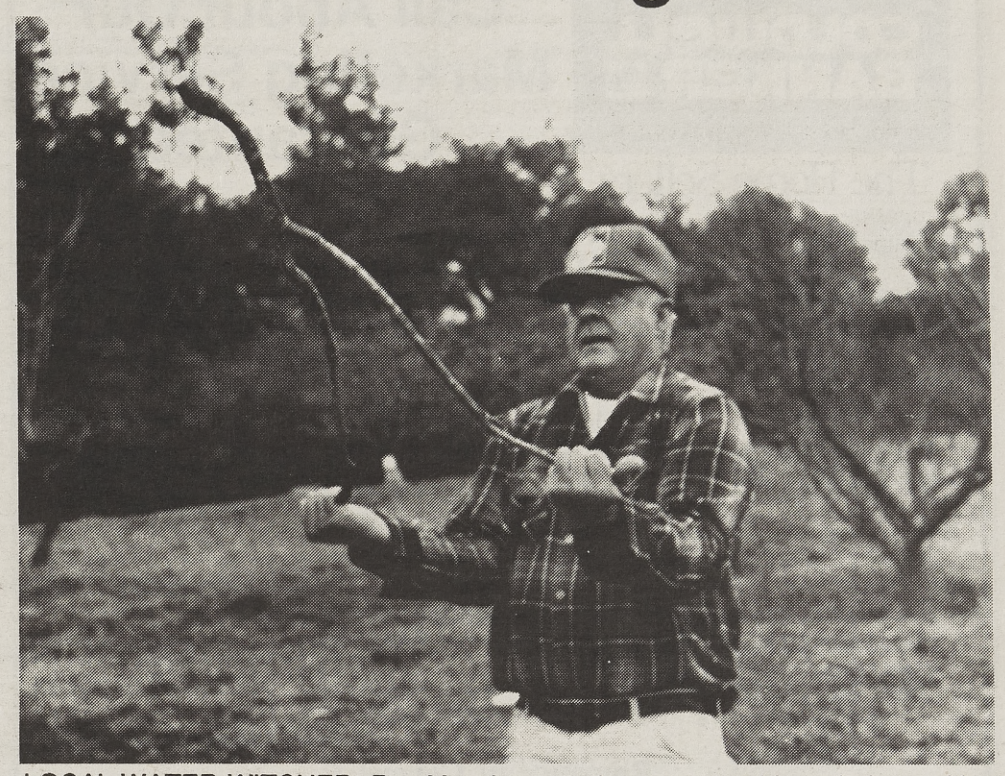
"My father, my grandfather, my twin brother, my wife, my son all have the ability," he said, cutting a greasewood dowsing rod from a nearby bush and handing it to this reporter.

"Want to try it?" he asked.

"Sure," I replied.

Grasping the forks of the rod as Maschmeyer directed, I walked a few paces and let go of the rod with a yelp.

It was as though some unseen hand had reached out and given the end of the stick a tug—hard. The butterflies in my stomach fluttered all the way home.



LOCAL WATER WITCHER Ray Maschmeyer demonstrates his technique with a freshly-cut greasewood branch. *Sun Photo by Bob Bates.*

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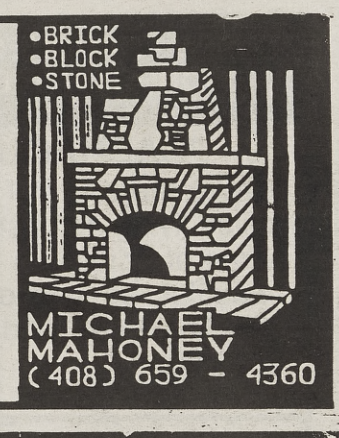

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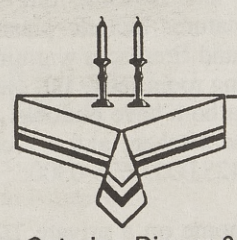

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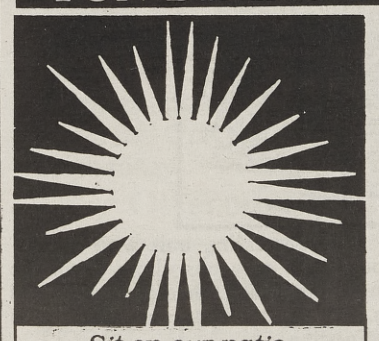

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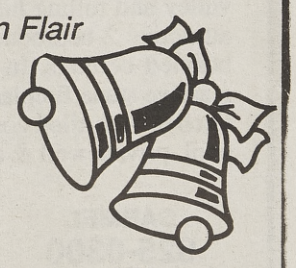

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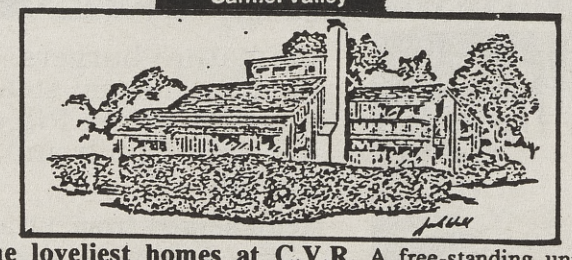

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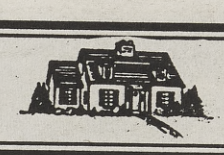

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MISSION STREET, Jerry A. & Joyce Cain to Steven & Sharon Munkdale. $345,000.

JUNIPERO STREET. John C. Gallagher to Shepard Development Corp. $293,000.

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GUADALUPE STREET. George R. & Marsha M. Jensen to George J. Cordova & Jann Skinner. $345,000.

24640 GUADALUPE STREET. Edwin C. Young to Peter & Sheila Albers. $330,000.

25167 RANDALL WAY. Guido E. Caglieri, Jr. to Richard J. Borda. $605,000.

TORRES STREET. Montgomery Street Realty Exchange Services to Allan Melikian. $325,000.

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HOLT ROAD. Jay F. & Cari L. Fletcher to Gerald G. & Terry J. Byrne. $86,500.

25033 VALLEY PLACE. Maynard C. & Lorette J. Petersen to Robert B. Riefe & Judith A. Becker. $385,000.

10000 EDDY ROAD. Ray F. Myers to Jeffery H. & Christy Lee. $670,000.

6310 BROOKDALE DRIVE. Charles Shannon Mallory to Episcopal Church of El Camino Real. $149.000.

189 HACIENDA CARMEL. Christine B. Whitman to Roger A. & Jeanne H. Canel. $200,000.

CORRAL DEL CIELO ROAD (LAND) Mary N. Sweig to William P. Kojain & Nina Loan. $225,000.

372 CORRAL DE TIERRA ROAD. Marie L. & Marie S. Early & Michael J. Carter to Carl C. & Beverley Schmidt. $230,000.

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ESQUILINE ROAD. Michael F. & Mary A. Hayer to Fakhreddin & S.D.S. Moussair. $190,000.

CACHAGUA ROAD. Paul T. & Venita E. Nielsen to Steve & Cindy Uyehara. $80,000.

CALLE DE ESTE. Molly A. Warner to Anthony S. & Catherine V. Compagno. $205,000.

229 VISTA VERDE. Robert B. & Kim A. Evans to Richard H. & Suzanne D. Lussier. $290,000.

387 EL CAMINITO ROAD. Richard S. & Sheila LaRue to Susan K. Johnston. $280,000.

WHITE OAKS LANE. Ralph R. & Virginia A. Mossberg to Charles R. & Joyce P. Mann. $292,500.

CARMEL VALLEY ROAD. William B. Jr. & Judith A. Parham to Michael & Connie Kelly. $142,000.

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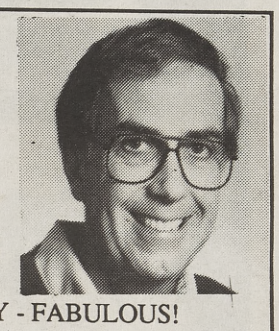

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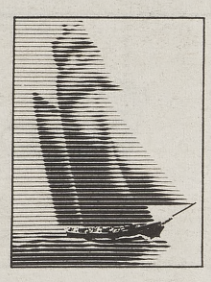

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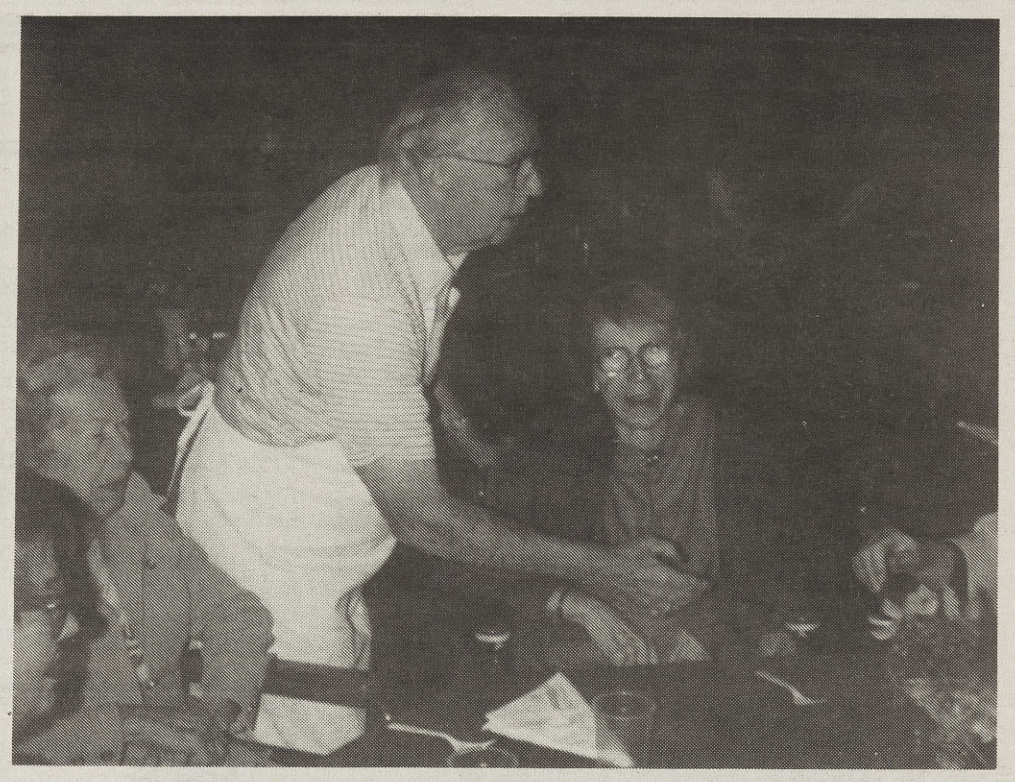
Sun photo by John Anderson.



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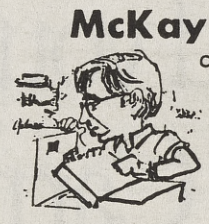

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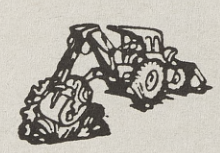

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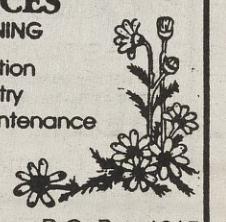

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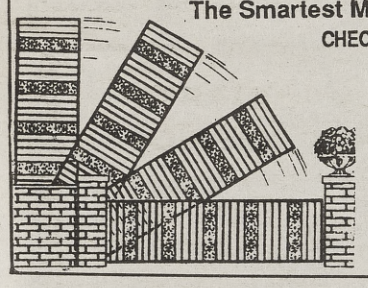

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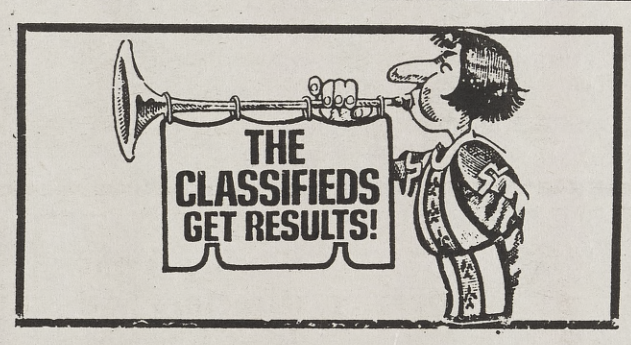

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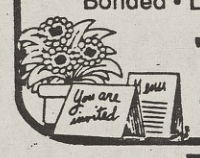

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In establishing the schedule, the *Sun* elected to skip publishing an issue the Wednesday immediately after New Year's to move the publication dates for the remainder of 1990 more to the middle of the month. As a result, there will be a three-week interval between the Dec. 20 issue and the first edition of 1990. It will come out Jan. 10.

If readers have any comments or suggestions on the schedule or any other aspect of the newspaper's operation, please contact Stan or Isabelle Hall at 10 E. Carmel Valley Road, or telephone 659-4855.

CARMEL VALLEY SUN

1990 Publication and Deadline Calendar

■ Deadline Dates ▒ Publication Dates

JANUARY

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	**3**	4	5	6
7	8	9	**10**	11	12	13
14	15	16	**17**	18	19	20
21	22	23	**24**	25	26	27
28	29	30	**31**			

FEBRUARY

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6	**7**	8	9	10
11	12	13	**14**	15	16	17
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25	26	27	**28**			

MARCH

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
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4	5	6	**7**	8	9
11	12	13	**14**	15	16
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APRIL

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	**4**	5	6	7
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MAY

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JUNE

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JULY

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SEPTEMBER

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DECEMBER

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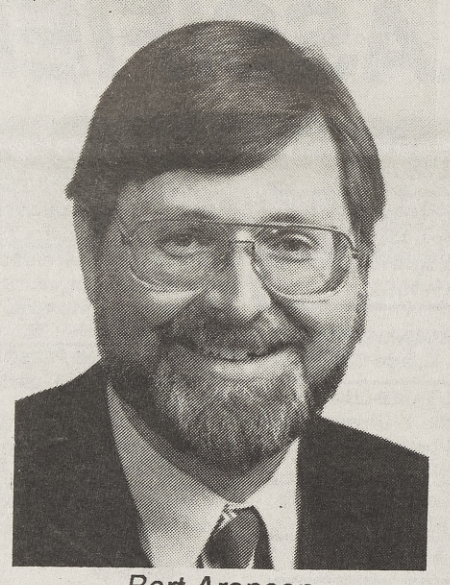

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